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INDIAN'S ATTACK ON CAPE RECORD

Final Trials of Croydon.

London, Dec. 27. An Indian airman, Mr. Man. Mohan Singh, who is chief pilot to the Maharaja of Patiala, is awaiting favourable weather to start on an attempt to beat Mrs. Mollison's record in a flight to Cape Town.

His machine which has a range of about 1,200 miles and a cruising speed of 125 miles hourly is at Croydon undergoing final adjustments.-British Wireless,

ASIA PEACE AND HARMONY ARMY

CHARHAR REVOLT INSPIRED?

MASSACRES AT CHIHCHENG

Poking, Dec. 28. An official communique states that Liu Kwei-tang, the former bandit leader, who figured in the troubles in Charhar earlier

mony Army." The communique adds that Liu thirty-eight degrees below shovelling in the city streets, steel coaches for wooden carriages. footing of Chihcheng.

south-west with the intention of entering the demilitarized zone. with the object of reaching the Luantung area, or whether they are breaking in a westerly direction for the purpose of gaining a footing on the border of Hopei.

MOVING SWIFTY.

Unofficial roports state that Liu Kwei-tang has already crossed the railway at Huailai which, if true, indicates that he is moving swiftly. Further news of his movements is being awaited with deep interest, in view of the present situation in Charhar.—Reuter.

EXCHANGE SURTAX BE SUPPRESSED

Negotiations .

London, Dec. 21. The French and United Kingdom 1929. Governments have agreed that Col. Morris has held many posts At the outset the fare from Sinsoon as possible with the object Assistant Director of Supplies and as that by the Dutch air mail, i.e., of adjusting the commercial Transport of the Mediterranean £180. A return ticket costs £334. relations between the two coun- Expeditionary Force, Egypt, and

ad valorem hitherto levied on of Supplies to the War Office.

into France. tion of the turnover tax to two Cape Colony, Transvaal, South per cont. has already been laid Africa (1901) and South Africa before the French Parliament (1902) Clasps. and the French Government have | Col. Morris saw service in assured His Majesty's Government France and Belgium during the that they will press on with the Great War from October, 1914, to measure.—British Warcless.

The weiding is announced to take Expeditionary Force. The weiding is announced to take mentioned in despatches on three believes the connection is already Leicester place in the near future of Mr. David pagestone and holds the British possible. The French line at the Leicester pince in the near future of Mr. David occasions and holds the British possible. The French line, at pre Cardin McLellan, schoolmaster of King's occasions and holds the British possible. The French line, at pre Cardin College, and Miss Winifred Honderson, War Medal, the Victory Medal and sent operating as far as Saigon, is Newport of 7, Waverly Terrace, Kowloon. the D.S.O.

Thirty-Eight Degrees Below Zero in Minnesota

CARS FROZEN GROUND

BLIZZARD RAGES IN NEW DISTRICT

COLDEST WEATHER FOR TWENTY YEARS

New York, Dec. 28. With practically the whole of the United States shivering in the coldest weather experienced generally for twenty years, remarkable scenes witnessing to the intensity of the coldare providing thrills and spills.

Where the roads are not feet deep in snow they are frozen over and like glass, being practically unnegotiable.

Many motorists who attempted to defy the wintry conditions and thought to battle their way through a blizzard which struck the New York district last night were compelled to abandon their cars, after sliding about the roads, a danger to themselves and other traffic.

This morning, when they visited their deserted cars to make a fresh venture, they found them at the kerbsides immovably frozen to the ground!

Heavy falls of snow have ing recorded there.

General Feng Yu-haing, has occurred all over the country It is nine degrees below been given a post by "a certain and intensely cold conditions zero in the heart of Chicago. immediate steps to prevent a repower', as commander of the prevail everywhere. The Over thirty thousand New petition of such a catastrophe, Eastern Asia Peace and Har-thermometer in Minnesota, Yorkers were engaged to-among the measures of safety for instance, is registered day in the task of snow-urged being the substitution of

zero, and Wisconsin is In the country, roads are There is not the slightest doubt At present it is not certain scarcely any better off, practically impassable owing that the terrible toll of life was whether his forces are moving thirty-one degrees below be- to the snowdrifts.—Reuter. express tore its way through six

SUCCESSOR TO COL. WATSON

COL. J. H. MORRIS DUE SOON

Col. J. H. Morris, D.S.O., O.B.E., vho has been appointed Assistant Director of Supplies and Transport to the China Command in place of the late Col. A. H. Kinnaird Watson, is expected to arrive here on January 11th aboard the s.k.

Col. Morris joined the regulars TO from the Militia and from 1903 until 1905 was 2nd Lieut, in the Army Service Corps, being promoted to the rank of Lieut, in March of the latter year. He received the appointment of Captain in Novem-Anglo-French Commercial ber, 1911, and three years later was transferred to the R.A.S.C. with the rank of Major. January, 1919, he received the brevet of Lieut. Colonel, the ap- for London at 12.30 p.m. on Dec.

the Egyptian Expeditionary Force. These conversations have been being appointed Assistant Direc-

British goods on their importation | For service in the South African War he was awarded the Queen's A Bill authorising the reduc- South African Medal with the

Uctober, 1910, in the latter year kok.

| Capt. Bernard has not been ask| Going to Egypt with the Egyptian | Capt. Bernard has not been ask| Expeditionary | Force. He was sed to survey the route yet but he being: The wedding is announced to take Expeditionary Force. He was ed to survey the route yet but he being:

AIR SERVICE TO EAST

ANGLO-CHINESE PARLEY

be accepted from London to Singapore or vice-versa as re-

are ready. This means that, contrary to at the service of safety, earlier expectations, the first plane to reach Singapore on the commencement of the service. the Astraea, which landed at Seletar on December 19th, may take passengers back with her on the first homeward flight.

The Astrnea leaves Singapore pointment being substantiated in 31 and will be piloted by Captain Prendergast.

ROUTE TO CHINA.

rendered possible by the decision tor in 1916. This post he held until slon in London for the extension Wireless and Renter, of the French Government to sup- 1919 when he returned to England of the Imperial Airways service to press, as from January 1st, the From 1923 until February, 1927, China, Capt. A. C. Bernard, organisexchange surtax of 15 per cent. he was Deputy Assistant Director ing superintendent for I.A. in Singapore states:

"Negotiations between the nuithorities at home and in China with this in view have been going on for some time and there are indications that the outlook is promising.

"It is fairly certain that any such extension will be in the form of a trunk line from Bang-

anxious to extend to Hongkong.



When it's cold in the United States, it is cold. Photo shows two

AGITATION

END OF WOODEN COACHES

GOVERNMENT'S ASSURANCE

Paris, Dec. 27. Public opinion has been profoundly stirred by the magnitude of the Lagny express disaster, the death-roll in which has now mounted to

A demand is now being made for

wooden coaches. Steel conches would have resisted the shock and minimised the disaster.

EMERGENCY LEGISLATION.

It has, in fact, been announced introduce emergency legislation. There were moving scenes at the

memorial service for the victims

ports covering the flight between Public Works, promised an impar- ing which no definite proposals Karachi and Singapore indicate tial inquiry and said it was the have been submitted. that all ground arrangements desire of France that all the resources of science should be placed

THE KING'S MESSAGE.

heavy loss of life and so much policy. conversations shall be initiated as with the Army, being Deputy gapore to London will be the same grievous suffering. I would ask On January 15, the Foreign SHARE TWO GOALS AT you, Monsieur Le President, to ac- Minister will attend the meeting cept on behalf of the French Na- of the League Council in Geneva, sympathy at the terrible disaster which has cast its shadow over of the Disarmament Conference. Commenting on a recent discus- the Christmas Season,"-British

KEEN TUSSLES IN HOME RUGGER

NEWPORT JUST BEAT ABERAVON

London, Dec. 27.

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BRITON

President Hindenburg's Award

London, Dec. 27. A Berlin report states that President Von Hindenhas awarded the Goethe Medal to Mr. Campbell Dodgson, for twenty years Keeper of Prints and Drawings at the British Museum, in recognition of his research in connexion with the engravings of Albrecht Duror. - British Wirclens,

EUROPEAN MYSTERY DIPLOMACY

BALKAN VISITS TO PARIS

London, Dec. 27. John Simon, who arrived in Capri on Sunday, will arrive in Rome Signor Mussolini.

at the Gare de l'Est. Many among will form an important feature of Imperial Airways officially an- to restrain their feelings when the nounce that passengers can now funeral oration was delivered. Italian demand for the reform supreme penalty. M. Paganon, the Minister of of the League of Nations, regard-

TOUR POSTPONED. "

The following telegram has been Prague will not take place before from acts of violence. addressed by the King to the Pre- February. It is announced in sident of the French Republic:-"I Paris that M. Paul Boncour will am very distressed and shocked, attend the Chamber opening Monsieur Le President, to hear session on January 9, after the that the railway accident which holiday recess, and will, no doubt, occurred near Lagny on the eve of address the Chamber in the course Christmas, resulted in such a of the discussion on foreign

of the Disarmament Conference day, the Throatles had to rest Steering Committee.

ROYAL VISITS!

King Carol of Rumania might from 22 games .- Reuter. also arrive in Paris simultaneous. ly with M. Titulescu. Mr. Jevitch. 6 Slavia will arrive in Paris at woman formerly lived at Sui that time.-Havas.

THE SILVER PUZZLE

VERDICT

GENERAL GERMAN APPROVAL

MOCKS

London's favourable comment on the Reichstag fire trial verdict echoes the feeling in Germany where general ap-policy and the expectation that proval has been given, apart the Canadian Parliament, in the from the Nazi organ Korres- coming session, will also ratify. pondenz, which says that if the the London Silver Agreement, verdict had been pronounced in is likely to lead to renewed actiaccordance with the modern nalional sense of justice, it would LAGRY DISASTER GOETHE MEDAL FOR this plain miscarriage of justice. have been very different from slackening off in the last year or An official rebuff was adminis-

tered to a party of three British and one Czecho-Slovák, who rived in Leipzig to secure armed guard and to accompany the three acquitted Bulgarians the frontier.

The party included Ivor Montague, the brother of Lore

Swaythling. The Leipzig police told the party that the matter was in the hands of the Minister of the Interior and that their presence assured that the Bulgarians would be safe,

SERENE IMPARTIALITY.

The Leipzig judgment is forming the topic of lengthy editorial comments in the German press, which appear to be unanimous point, namely, that the verdict affords irrefutable proof effects of the Roosevelt policy is of the German Supreme Court's difficult to follow. On the ione serene impartiality.

patches. George Bernard Shaw result; yet there is a fear of overseized the opportunity to sum- production); marize the reaction of the British nation with the declaration, "No one could have awaited a juster CHASE BANK ACCEPTS pour out his famous wit on the "participants of certain mock trials who now find themselves in turn amusingly mocked."

CASE OF VAN DER LUBBE.

The death sentence pronounced against Marius Van der Lubbe cannot be changed or commuted that the Government will shortly January 1 to confer with by any other court. Nevertheless the sentence will not be carried out before an appeal for mercy The problems of disarmament has been submitted to the Presi dent Hindenburg, who alone has the mourning victims were unable their talks, but considerable at the constitutional power of sav-

> Conforming with the stipulaprotection of state and nation, stockholders on a pro rata basis. criminals convicted for high after which the Reconstruction treason must be hanged. It is Finance Corporation has agreed to Meanwhile, following the Paris further stated that the preventive purchase the stock not taken up conversations, it is learned that arrest of Torgler and the three by the common stockholders, the official trip planned by M. Bulgarians was ordered by the Paul Boncour to Warsaw and Supreme Court to protect them effected, the Bank will have a

ANOTHER POINT FOR WEDNESDAY

BROMWICH WEST

London, Dec. 27. content with one point from their second holiday match with Sheffield Wednesday. Each side Air, who is spending the Parlin-Moreover, the visit is expected, netted once.

Minister, who has officially ac- twelfth place in the table. West the inspection of a number of Air cepted the French Government's Bromwich's position is practically Force stations in Egypt.

Some keen rugger was witness- Yugo-Slavian Foreign Minister, A fatal accident occurred at Taipo will visit Trans-Jordan and many London Welsh 4 The possibility is not excluded severe head injuries from which sho The annual Christmas tree party Street, Talpo Market.

CANADA TO RATIFY

INCREASED PRODUCTION FEARED IN LONDON

BERNARD SHAW WITH PRICE RISE HOPE SCOUTED

Ottawa, Dec. 27. President Roosevelt's silver vity in the Canadian silver mines. There has been a considerable two, as shown by the fact that the

output has dropped from twentysix million ounces in 1930 to eighteen million ounces last year. The fall has been due entirely to the low price prevailing and any suggestion of a rise is likely to be followed by a speeding-up, of production.

An important new silver-mining camp is now rising on the eastern shore of Great Bear Lake.

LONDON FEARS.

London financiers fear that was unnecessary. They were also President Reosevelt's policy will lend to over-production of silver unless other action is taken, possibly bimetallism, for which the American silver States are pressing, or the restoration of silver coinage by European countries to its pre-wan fineness .--

(The logic of comments on the hand, it is considered unlikely According to. London dis- that a rise in world price will

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Scheme Similar to the National City Bank

New York, Dec. 27. The Directors of the Chase National Bank have approved the issue of fifty million dollars worth of five per cent, preferred stock and at the same time, to reduce

The new preferred stock will tions of the Emergency Law for first be offered to the common

> After the changes have been surplus of fifty million dollars and undivided profits of approximately nine million dollars .-

AIR MINISTER'S TOUR

TO COVER 16,000 MILES

Lord Londonderry, Secretary for mentary Recess in a 16,000-mile at the end of January, of M. The Wednesday who took five air tour of units of the Royal Air Titulescu, Rumanian Foreign points during Christmas jump to Force overseas, has completed

invitation to proceed to Paris unchanged. They are running He continued his journey from from St. Moritz, where he is now closely behind Manchester City Cairo this, morning, flying in a resting. It is rumoured that and Tottenham with 24 points service aeroplane, proceeding via Assuit and Wadi Haifa for Khartoum, where the No. 47 Bomber . Squadron is stationed. Later, he

21 Barbarians 10 that King Alexander of Yugo- died on her way to the hospital. The will be held at the Police Recreation On Club, Happy Valley, on New Year's. Day, commencing at 2 p.m.



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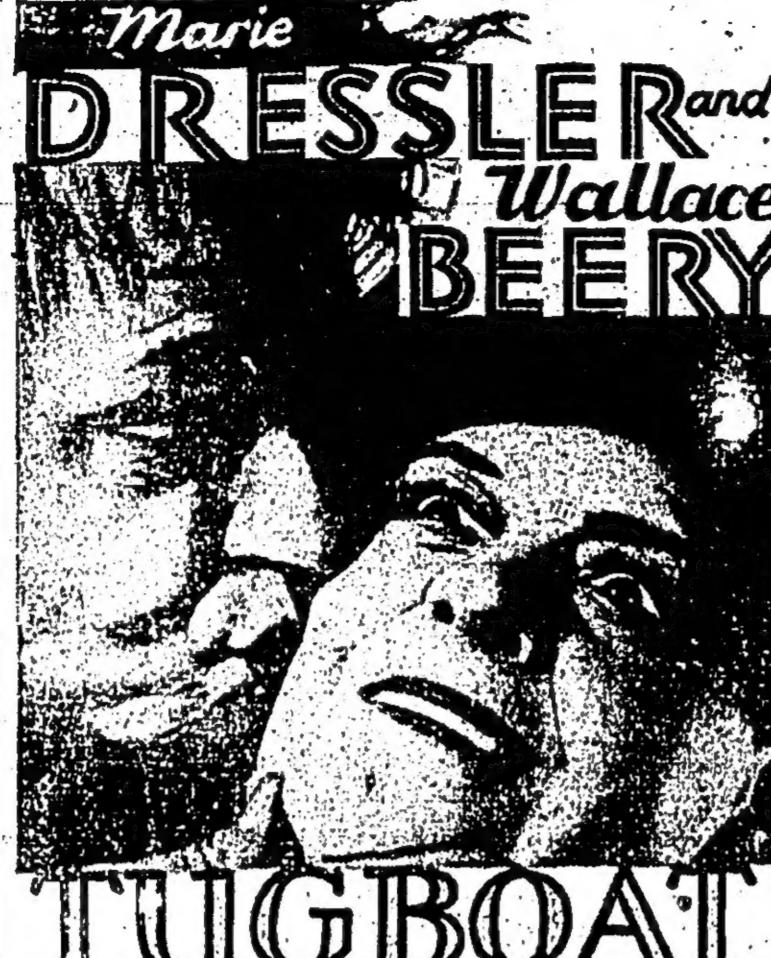
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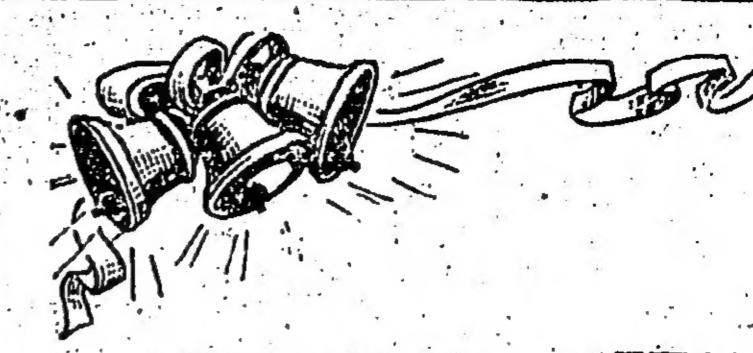
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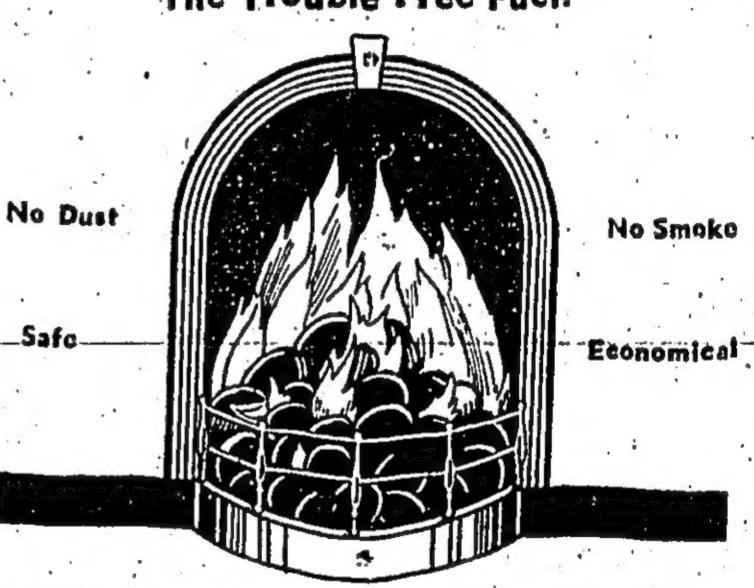
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DR. BASTO RE-ELECTED

ONLY NOMINATION FOR THE SANITARY BOARD SEAT

The stipulated period for the lodging of nominations for the Unoilicial seat upon the Sanitary Board clapsed yesterday. There was only one nomination registered, that being of Dr. R. A. de Castro Basto, M.D., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.O.M.S. (London)., who is therefore automatically re-elected and will resume his seat as a member of the Sanitary Board. He was proposed by the Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga and seconded by Prof: K. H. Digby. Digby.

Dr. Basto recently returned from a year's holiday in Europe, where he has been visiting the clinics in Germany and Switzerland, and has just succeeded in obtaining the M. D. degree from the University of Lausanne. He graduated from the University of Hongkong in 1921, and after a distinguished career as a student, during which he succeeded in winning the Scholarship in Anatomy, and the Ho Tung Scholarship in Clinical Surgery, was appointed House Surgeon in the Government Civil Hospital: After holding this appointment he left for Europe, and joining the London Hospital he passed the examination Hospital he passed the examination of the Conjoint Board of Royal Surgeons Colleges Physicians. He then took up a number of posts in the various special hospitals in London, and was appointed Assistant Medical Officer in charge of the surgical wards at the St. James' Hospital, Balham, London.

Later, Dr. Basto began to specialise in diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, and served as Senior Clinical Assistant at the Royal London Ophthalmic Hospital (Moorfields), the Western Ophthalmic Hospital and the Central London Ear, Nose, and Throat Hos-

He is well known in the Colony, and has been serving as a member of the Sanitary Board for the last three years.

CROWN LAND SALES.

MOUNT CAMERON SITE SOLD TO CREDIT FONCIER

At a sale of Crown lands at the Public Works Dopartment offices yesterday, the Credit Foncier d'Extreme Orient bought a site measuring 100 ft. square on Mount Cameron, for the purpose of building European house.

The site is to be formed by cutting into the hillside above Cameron Road and has been registered as Rural Building Lot No. 375. The Company were the only bidders,

securing the property at the upset price of \$1,700.

. Tokwawan Site.

The other lot offered at yesterday's sale is situated at the intersection of Ha Heung Road and Lok Shan Road, with an area of 1,984 sq. ft. It was purchased for \$1,488 by a Chinese company, of which Mr. Chan Kam-on, of No. 72, Prince Edward Road, was the representative.

A portion of the site, when pre-pared, will be handed back to the Government for the natural forma-tion of the road junction.

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"Has Miss France come down?"

You go tell her that dinner's

He went into the living room.

Bannister didn't speak for an

of shimmering ivory silk, low at man."/

instant. He stood looking at this

"Good evening," he said. "My

But it was the dessert that was

the masterpiece. A pudding so

light and delicately flavoured that

Bannister had no idea of what it

was made. There were tiny cakes

that Kate had herself baked to go

know when I've seen such food!

And every mouthful is just as good

Juliet France murmured, "L don't

The famous hat of the Emperor

Princess Charlottee of Monaco.

Napoleon and his decorations have been restored to Berlin. They disappeared during the war and were sent to General Goering anonymouslyquite recently.

with the pudding. .

The girl looked up from the

magazine in her lap and smiled.

'Good evening," she said.

THE UNKNOWN BLONDE

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CHAPTER XXIX

The news of Joe Parrett's arrest had reached the Evening Post Office by telegraph. Parrott had been picked up by St. Louis police and was being held there. Already Captain McNeal had announced ho would send a man to bring Parrott whatever in life except the Tracy back to Tremont. The detective was leaving on a night train. Parrott was wanted, McNeal said, had gone for nothing. for questioning concerning the Tracy King murder and "another serlous offence."

Bannister talked it over with Austin, the assistant city editor. The report that had come on the teletype machine was nothing more than a few lines saying Parrott was being held until instructions were received from officials in Tremont.

"So he went back to his old toyed with it and put it aside. He stamping ground!" Bannister ex- sat down on the edge of the esk. claimed. "McNeal told me Parrott! It wasn't, he assured simself was in some kind of a mix-up in once more; that he had intended aunt sent me to tell you that din-St. Louis last winter. Arrested or doing Juliet France a favour by ner is ready." indicted-I've forgotten. I believe bringing her to his aunt's home. it had something to do with It was pleasanter for here, of A few minutes later they were

that," Austin said quickly. Austin was right. The girl was the key was beautifully browned, juley and died away and there was a little There was a mischievous light in had read Bannister's novels and to the mystery of the murder. She tender. The vegetables were well more than an edge of crimson on her eyes as she said, "I think, Mr. admired them. He couldn't quite knew more than she had admitted seasoned, the salad crisp and dell- the charred wood. Bannister bus- Bannister, I should tell you that bring himself to assign chores to and finding out her secret was the clous. this celebrated writer as he would task Bannister had set for himself. have to a reporter. After all, Living here, unaware that anyone Austin was only an assistant city was watching her, she could be sure editor, and a young one.

"What's McNeal mean by this other 'serious offence'?" he asked. g'The boys couldn't get him to say anything more about it."

But he won't show his hand. You that she was remaining in Tremont know McNeal wasn't sure Al Dru- for a few days until she had news He told me so. Maybe he thinks and felt it was no more than

took a street car and rode home.

in his bedroom, tying his necktie And he, was aware of all he and then retying it. Bannister trickery new! She wouldn't fool reflected this was the first evening him as she had before. in many that he had bothered to But there was no time then t dress for dinner. It was, as a talk. Bannister went down stair matter of fact, the first evening in and met his aunt in the hallway. the week he had spent at home. "Oh, there you are, David!" Days and evenings, too, had become she exclaimed. -"I was just going

very much alike. He spent them to call you. Everything's ready as it looks, too." at the newspaper office, at police to put on the table." headquarters, now and then launching out on some wild and fruitless expedition. He had caten his meals in cheap restaurants with Gainey and Cunningham. So far- as he was concerned there was nothing, King murder case—and all the time he had spent trying to solve it

Bannister studied himself in the mirror, frowned and grasped the ends of the offending necktic. pulled them loose and for the third time knotted them again. That was better. Yes, that would do.

He turned away from the mirror walked to the window. It was dark outside. Time to go down stairs. Still Bannister lingered. Ho picked up a paper knife

course, but that wasn't why he at the table. Kate Hewlett had, I've finished in the kitchen. "I'll have Gainey check up on Bannister believed Captain Henley done herself proud. The roast to give herself away.

Bannister was pleased with the way he had handed matters. The girl evidently had accepted his story. Aunt Kate, likewise, had shown no signs of doubt. head. He had told her that Miss France "Don't know," he said. "McNeal's was an old friend, a girl he had got something up his sleeve. I've known in New York. He had hapbeen Ffe of that for a long while, pened to meet her, had discovered gan's death was just an accident, about a job she had applied for, Parrott had something to do with courteous to ask her to stay with them. To all this Aunt Kate had

. They talked for half an hour The rest of the task was going longer, mulling over the case to be more difficult. Bannister Then Bannister left the office, straightened his shoulders, stood up. He'd better go down and 'As' he stood before the mirror have a talk with Miss Juliet France,

BY LAURA LOU BROOKMAN

"Let me get you another helpdo you good to cat." "Yes, she's in the living room.

> "Oh, no!" the girl protested "I couldn't eat another bite. Really l couldn't."

They had their coffee and then Kate Hewlett sent the young people back to the living room. "But I want to help with , the

lishes." Juliet said. strangely transformed Juliet France. She had put on a blouse "Frederick will do them,"

the thront. Always before he had seen her in green. He 'hadn't |. imagined her wearing anything "Frederickswill do nothing of the waves do. else. The glow of the lamp light sort!" she said. "Do you think I'd fell on her hair and he saw that trust my china to his clumsy warm, attractive room, the firelight it was really golden. She was still fingers? I'll do them myself!" pale, but she seemed refreshed and

"But please!" the girl urged. 'Let me help."

The older woman was firm. "Some other time," she said "but evening such as this could be. not to-night. You and David go in The music came to an end then. by the fire. I'll come as soon as Bannister arose and moved to the I've finished in the kitchen. It plane "This is a real treat." he had done it. She was here because as usual when it came to cooking, won't take, me any time at all." piono. "This is a real treat," he

ied himself at the hearth for you aren't deceiving me for a moseveral minutes.

When he turned he saw that the

girl was standing beside the piano, glancing at some music.

"Do you play?" he asked. "A little."

"I'd like very much to hear you." Her eyes raised to-his but he ing," Mrs. Hewlett urged, "It'll could not read their glance. Then, without replying, she sat down, touched the keyboard. "I'm rather out of practice," she said.

The notes were vaguely familiar. Bannister had heard them before some where, probably at a concert, but he had never heard them like this-leaning back in a comfortable chair before a fire place. The girl played surely, sweetly. Baninister, listening, thought of the monotor ous lapping of ocean waves Ban- against a sandy beach. The music nister spoke up. "He's the house was like that with the melody coming in clear and strong above the waves. No-not waves, of Kate Hewlett's tone flared course! But it sounded the way

> and the music. Bannister drew on his eigarette deeply and let the twisted wreath of smoke escape from his lips. Pleasant indeed! He had forgotten how agreeable an

said. "Please don't stop yet!"

The flames in the fireplace had The girl looked up, smiled.

(To be Continued.)



The Japanese Princess Reika Takeda leaving the Imperial Palace in Tokyo after attending a reception given by the Mikado.



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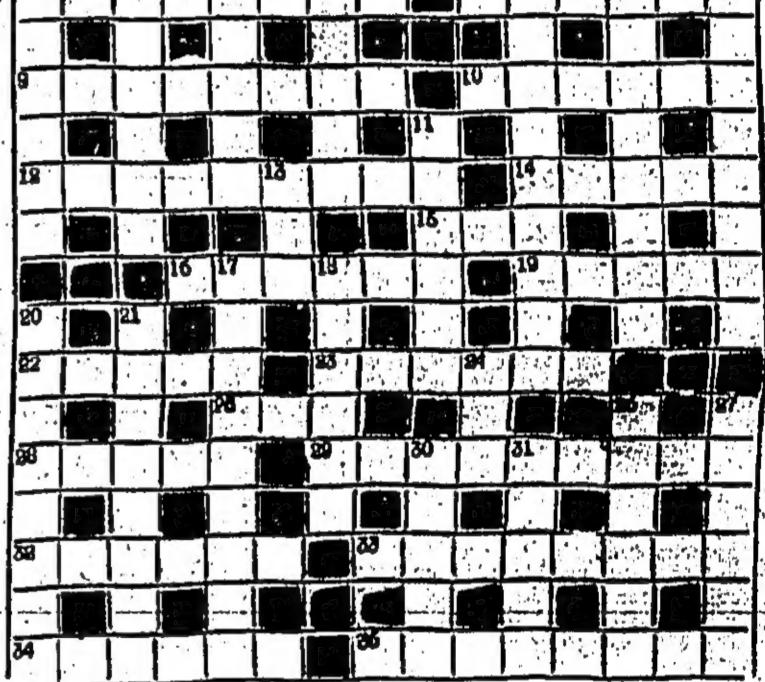
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wear in its inside. 15 An Oriental name, 16 Skilful and seems to point out

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28 Book of the Bible. 29 Bearer of tidings.

Venerate. There's a fairly long start to

such longing. 4 Puts forward an excuse like an

afterthought about metal, 35 Communications of a herb in a muddle.

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3 Varied tales,

4 Miss Heath, perhaps, and you might say I care for her. 6 Supervision involving a blunder.

(two words).

7 Possibly tomporary embarrassment oven when the tide is high

8 Without charge for residence-

or are the clothes repaired for

17 Do they sell this quadruped at

20 Bound to have small vices, but

21 When I'm in such weapons, a

26 Sounds a suitable time for leap

31 Was this the source of Helen's

Yesterday's Solution

30 What Byron's echo answered.

if it loses a shilling, it's in Notts.

nothing? (hyphen).

so much per inch?

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decree results.

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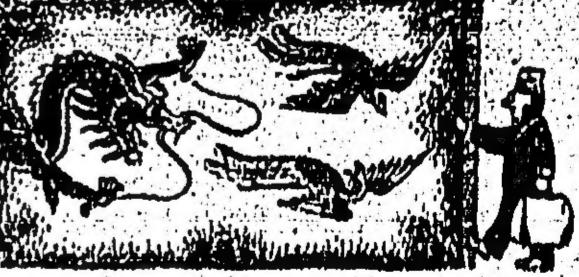
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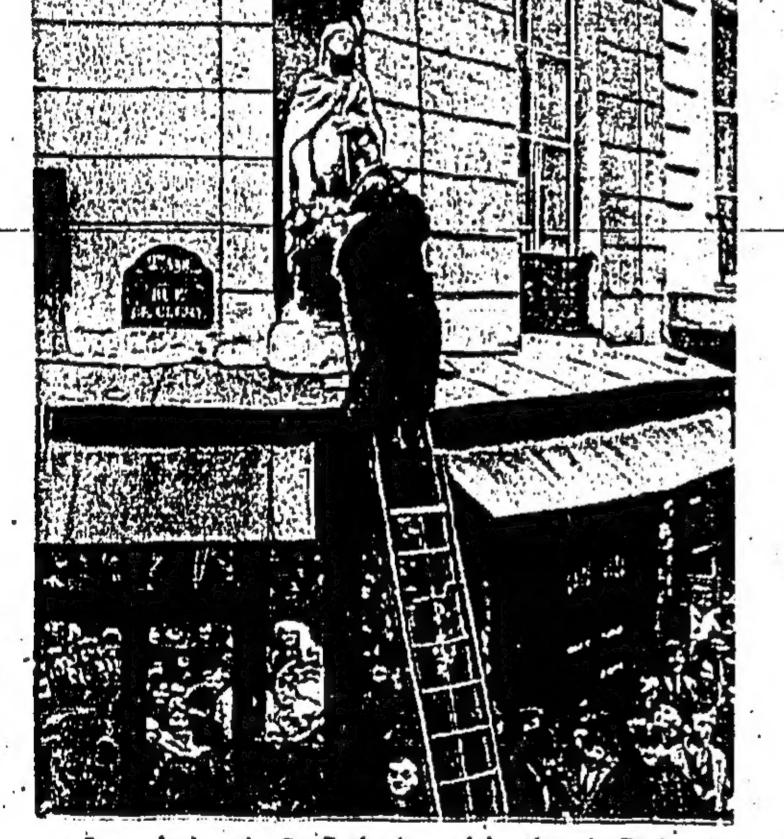
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THE TECHNIQUE OF TYRANNY

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Roosevelt at this moment with a very sincere pity. He is trying to do with a free Press, an untamed Congress, and opponents threatening to bring him before a Supreme
Court what they would tell him
can only be done by their methods.
Under their system, the proper
place for Mr. Al Smith, the directors of the Federal Reserve Bank,

or any others who question the infallibility of the White House on currency or any other matter would be the dock a the concentration camp.

Whether "planning" on this vast scale is possible under free in-stitutions is, indeed, one of the most interesting questions raised by the American experiment.

Personally I should answer it by saying that free institutions are the one guarantee that "planning" serious danger of submitting ourproportion as he learns from his critics and steers his course accordingly.

But this is not the view of our tyranny is no blind arbitrary

Socialist and Fascist theorists. thing. They all have in their minds the idea of governing "by decree" and treating a dumb public as the raw material of their experiments. They are all, as their writings been taken.

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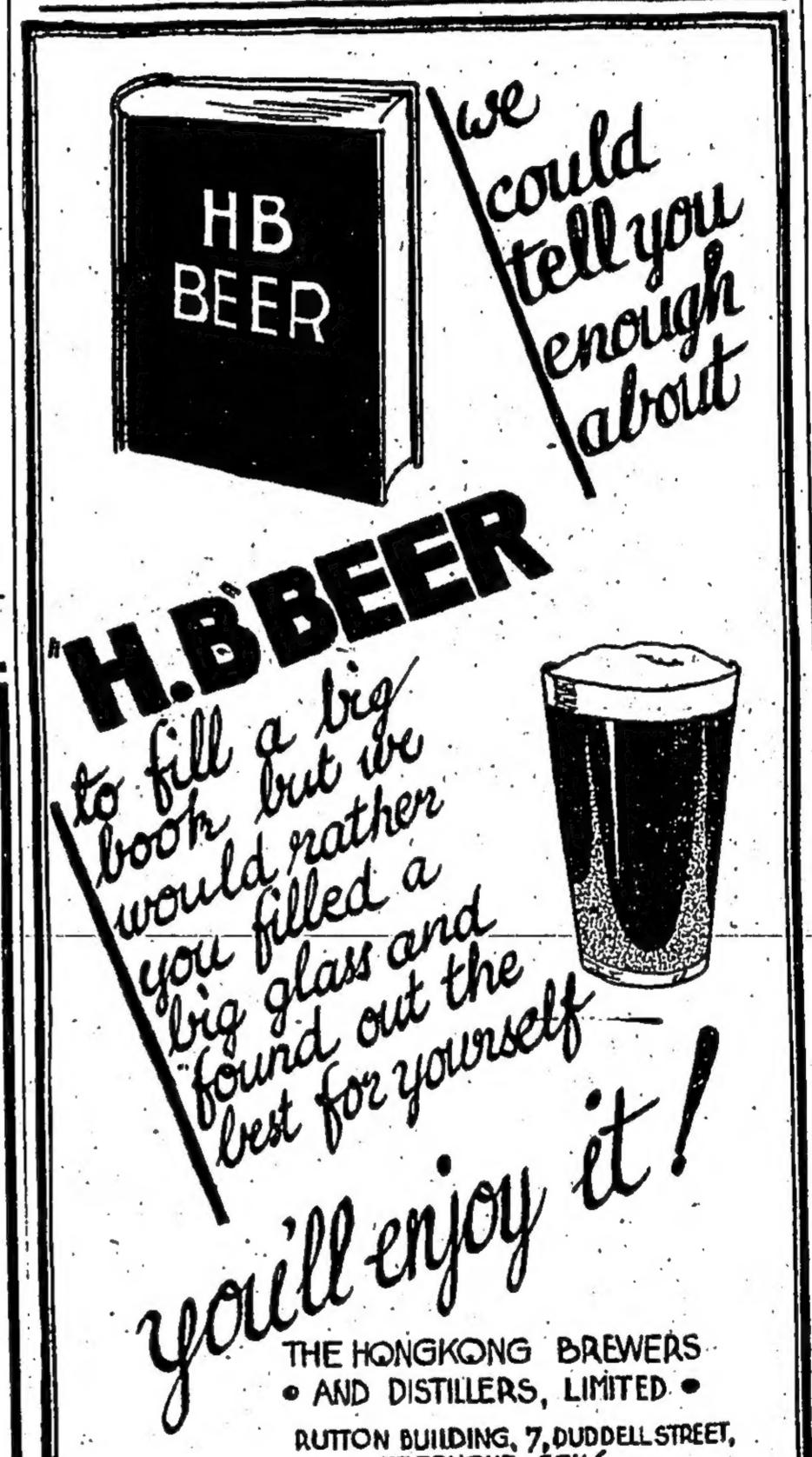
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will not do wholesale mischief and that Mr. Roosevelt will succeed in selves to these experiments, but it is important that we should see how they operate and where they

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WAR-MONGERS

the Church if all clergymen were

of Swanbourne, who recently have come from some retired, sabre-rattling General. Gerever, so long-as they could Fortunately, the Church does not find much room within its folds for people who indulge in GOLD BONDS such foolish and ill-considered this Vicar's incompetency to discourse on the policies of other those qualified to deal with the matter, it is a sorry spectacle to see a professing minister of the Gospel of Peace and Goodwill urging his hearers to prepare for war. Surely it is the duty When Britain "went off gold," we authority is the logical con- Dictators are watching President espouse the cause of concord between nations, not to endeavour and suspicion. There are already enough agencies in the world working in this latter direction. If the horrors of war should ever break out afresh, much of the responsibility will rest on those who talk of its inevitability and who lose no opportunity of unblushingly preaching militarism. Preparedness for reasonable expectations is one thing. but this business of scaring people with the bogey of some A COMFORTER imagined foe waiting to pounce on docile neighbours is quite anworld affairs.

NOTES OF THE DAY

TRADE BAROMETER

Until a few years ago, who bothered to read the monthly trade figurea? Bankers, heads of big businesses, and a few politicians. Sometimes a leaderette draw attention to them in the morning paper, but usually they were buried in an obscure corner. How different to-day! Employed or unemployed, all watch for trade revival. The chance to save or extend business, a rise in salary or wage, an opening for boy or girl, a rift in the cloud of black daily care all these in millions of homes, high or humble, hang on the health or disease of commerce, whose symptoms figures record. In Britain, tunately, the symptoms indicate a very definite improvement and it would be interesting if it could be discovered exactly to what extent Government policy has been influential. Recently the Washington. "Brain Trust" paid a high compliment to Great Britain. The best American brains appear now to have accepted the view that only through bilateral agree-ments, that is, agreements made between two countries working together, can economic recovery bo secured. Grandlose international schemes are to be set aside. The world is to follow the example of England.

BRITISH AGREEMENTS

ments already made with Scan- they are expected to play. dinavia, Germany and the Argentine. Few appreciate yet the measure of their success as economic policy. From the first graphs are circulated to all branch comes supremely important for days of the National Government organisations with special instruc- the Dictator to control schools, depended upon the reopening of Nazi publication dwells specially education, and, so for as they overseas markets. Great Britain on the ingenuity of Communists in suggest ideas which run counter trades normally with all the world, dealing with these wavering to his scheme of life, art, science It would be a sorry thing for but clearly we could not negotiate | people: at once with everyone. 'A beginning was made with those counof the same way of thinking as tries which in matters of currency the Rev. J. R. C. Forrest, Vicar and trading interests were most closely ailled to us. The Scandinavian countries working on denounced pacifist utterances in sterling offered the best possian address which might well bilities. But if we were to bargain we required a bargaining weapon. If we were to ask for concessions we must be prepared many, Russia and Japan were to give something in return. whatever the value of Free Trade, and no-one rated it higher than gentleman, all being accused as the President of the Board of nations with no scruples what- Trade, it prevented us from ever offering a quid pro quo. Facing further their militaristic aims. realities we adopted a tariff policy "Your children," remarked this tlations justify the course pursued. militant parson, "will curse your | Already duties upon dozens of memories and your blindness Denmark, Norway, Sweden, Argenwhen they are up against a tina, Finland, and Iceland. Furpowerful country like Germany." | ther negotiations are being under-

.taken with a similar objective .--The United States has had little talk. Apart altogether from to say concerning the House of defeated; it must be kept down of us can never say whether the Lord's decision that a British and, having been driven under- Dictators are failing or succeedholder of a foreign gold bond is ground, it has to be met by sub- ing with their plans. We only entitled to be paid in gold. The terranean methods, black-listing, know that they claim (as they nations, which are better left to most far-reaching innovation in esplonage, delation, etc., which must) to be succeeding. United States' monetary policy was keep ordinary citizens in a state undoubtedly the repudiation of the of apprehension. gold clause in its bonds-i.e., paying in a depreciated dollar, even is grim necessity. where the contract contains clause making gold, and not the which men form political judgdollar, the standard of payment. ments being cut off, submission to of the Church and its leaders to never did anything like that sequence. Holders of sterling obligations, of course, suffered from the fall of sterling; but gold obligations we to inflame public feelings and to continued faithfully to pay in the encourage a spirit of distrust gold equivalent. And such has hitherto been the practice among all countries of repute. It has been left to the United States to deal by administrative act, and to confirm by a Bill before Congress. a blow at the root of the whole system of international lending. While American bank cellars are still bulging with gold, there is no excuse whatever for it but "political necessity;" and it deprives the Middle West of the last shred of moral right to lecture Europeans about debt defaulting.

The Medical Superintendent of Health for Belfast, who has been other. The surest guarantee campaigning against "the article against future war is the crea- known as a baby's comforter or tion of a healthy and well-in- dummy," will have all medical formed public opinion in all officers on his side but most workcountries, in which the Church should play its part. Scare utterances, whether in speech or in written word, are a disservice to humanity. Past memories as a carrier of disease germs and should induce in the minds of source of infant mortality, though men an attitude opposed to war not less certain, is far less obviand all that it means. But there are still those who seem to take a delight in working on man's elemental passions, arousing feelings which were better left dormant. These are the world's worst enemies, and it will be a bad day for humanity should their influence come to dominate world affairs.

not less certain, is far less obviously visible. At Belfast, as probably elsewhere, it is found that 80 per cent. of the babies at Welfare Contres are given "dummies," and no persuasion lessens the number. Is it likely, since all the recalcitrant mothers have votes, that a Bill can be carried to coerce them? Shades of Mrs. Pankhurst and the Suffrage martyral

THE TECHNIQUE OF TYRANNY

By J. A. SPENDER

HAVE been favoured in thou last few months with much literature purporting to give the Communist case against the Nazis and the Nazis' case against the Communists.

Ploughing my way through the rocitals of frightfulness which each imputes to the other, I come broadly to the conclusion that both practised the same methods and that they borrowed freely from one another.

Both had an elaborately thought out system of secret organisation and propaganda. Both hold that the end justifies all means—the Nazis alleging that Communiom is so pestilential that the utmost ruthlessness is required to stamp it out, the Communists that the state of society is so intolerable that any methods are lawful bring the proletariat to power.

warfare. They work in darkness be banished from his mind. as well as upon their opponents.

both, as their movement spreads, Justice Macnaghten, requiring the is to prevent its being betrayed by Home Secretary to produce a docuthe weaker brethren, especially ment in Court, would find himself the "idealists" who have joined in in a concentration camp before the an impulsive moment, and whose day was out. An independent conscience rebels when they Judicature claiming to be superior It is doubtful if our own people realise the methods which are to his will would be the ruin of realise the value of the agree- being practised and the part which any Dictator, just as for free

For these the "black list" is essential, and their names and photoit was recognised that recovery tions to watch and track them. A universities and all forms of

create the impression among his meaning. unsuspecting comrades that it is really a question of low creatures detrimental to the ideal Communist movement. This refined method of employing semi-official disparagement and denunciation is indubitably one of the most dangerous weapons used by Bolshevism in the fight for power.

The large number of accusations with other citizens. of this kind made by Nazis since they came to power against opponents or doubtfuls, whose character was supposed to be beyond is now free to pursue his plans and Brandy. Fo chan Kill reproach, can hardly fail to sug-schemes without any of the disgest that they, too, have practised turbing criticisms and reactions this "refined" technique.

When finally the victory is won If he fails nothing must be said and a Dictatorship of one colour about it, and his opponents and

This is no more arbitrariness, it

Next, the ordinary methods by

The Dictator's will must be law, and he must be invested with semi-divine attributes.

shall be considered as infallible in the secular as the Pope is by the faithful in the religious sphere. Everything must be put under his feet-law, religion, freedom of the Press, freedom of speech, even freedom of talk.

Let any of these forces loose and his position immediately becomes precarious.

This requires not merely the tion, but-what strikes even deeper into the roots of a free society—a new conception of law and justice. Government hencethe citizen being able to appeal to the Courts to defend his liberties language. or to protect himself from

during their periods of prepara- The first duty of the Courts is tion, and practise freely the to uphold the State. Hence the method of spying and counter- new conception of "political spying upon their own supporters justice" to which the citizen must conform.

The most difficult problem for Under any Dictatorship, Mr. States it is the chief bulwark of

Having captured justice, it beand even that disturbing, emotion-The method adopted is to all these movements of the free member personally, to reproach him with some kind of swindle all these movements of the free spirit may help us to realise that the common phrase, "liberal and the c or corruption and thus to education," has a deep, practical

> In the world of the Dictator a "liberal education" must go the way of other liberal institutions. Religion, too, is a possible enemy, and that also must be Shroff. Kung tik tai yat 公数 brought under control.

To the Dictator everything is politics, and there is no neutral ground on which the citizen is free to pursue ideas in common

Having established himself, so Whisky. Fo shui 水水 which pursue even the most benevolent in a free society.

or another is established, there can critics may be put on trial for be no negotiated peace. sabotage, and be lucky if they The opposition must not only be escape with their lives. The rest

But since they have all their opponents and critics at their mercy and never let us know their casualties we are reduced

to guessing.

(Continued on Page 5.)



The bry Jose !

CANTON MORE FAR.

By Edward Kelly, Linguist. HE way some of these Chinese people in Hongkong cannot understand His position requires that he good English is positively disgusting.

> We give you an instance. The other day we went into a Chinese compradore's shop to purchase six bottles of cod liver oil to help us over the Christmas holiday.

We argued with the Compradore for over half an hour, but suppression of free-Parliaments, could not get him to understand a free Press, and free organisa- that we wanted to sign a chit for this whis the oil.

Anyway, we listened in to Mr. Wella' Cantonese lessons over forth is by decree, and the idea of ZBW the other day, and since then have become proficient in the

In order to assist some of our There is no chivalry in their arbitrary acts of his rulers must less intelligent readers we have compiled a vocabulary of the phrases they may be expected to .. use in everyday conversation.

Besides, it gives us a chance to get our own back on the Editor, who doesn't know what wo've said in the vernacular half of our

interpretation. House boys with clear consciences should not be asked by inquisitive renders to translate the Chinese vocabulary that

And, in conclusion, let this be lesson to you.

CANTONESE MADE EASY.

Who do you think you're shoving? Mei tui 咪惟

Come again at the end of the month. Shau ngan yan chun hai tan yim 收銀人與討厭

Buzz off. Cho fung sing 遊蛛整 Don't mind if I do. Ngoh cho ho yes moh 双道可以骤

Maskee. Pei kui chuk 由但好 Dear Sir, Your account is now. Wei, nei you pei chin 咽体要导致

Cause of death is unknown. Kui chung chau tuk shi 恒中酒發死 Strike me pink . Tak ngoh hau

pin 四双後便

Not half, I don't think. Shiu kwok yat poon ngoh mo she "sheung 小妈一年我有思想

She was only a farmer's daughter. Kor-koh nui chi-t. kus-ke yeung chung 個個女子知佢嘅洋盘 Your charges are too high. Chak

10/ 你個贼仔

haven't touched a drop. Kony taai wah / 購大語 .

Is my face red? Ngoh-ke min ho

chi y zm chau loi mo? 取既面好 似飲酒來學 The wife. Ngoh-ke tao tuna

The girl friend. Nyoh-ke kwaan 双個影

My husband. Koh-koh laan yan 個個個人

Diary of a Worm

7.30 p.m .- After keeping guilty secret as long as possible worm boldly informs wife that he has been asked to spend New Year holiday with witty worm friend.

7.31 p.m .-- Oh, so worm has decided to desert wife at last, has ho? Wife might have known that treacherous worm, after taking best years of her life, would leave wife in lurch. That is all wife. could expect from cunning, heart-less worm. Perhaps worm would like to sell up home and kick wife out into streets before he goes. Wife quite willing to go begging so long as selfish worm on joys. exotic holidays. Wife now so used to sacrificing herself, for worm's sake that she will be glad to pack worm's bag and give him back housekeeping money so that he can buy diamond necklace for hideous blonde who, by pure accident, of course, will no doubt be at same place at same time as sex-

mad worm.

But if worm thinks he is downstating Clark Gable in ridiculous plus-fours and coloured shirt, he is greatly mistaken. Shameless blondo morely wants diamond necklace, which rightly belongs to wife, and will probably blackmail worm, who will lose job, go to prison, and end in gutter

7.40 p.m.—Worm rings up witty worm friend to put off planned holiday visit.

London, Dec. 27. The distribution of gifts from giant Christmas tree in the ballroom at Sandringham was the central feature of the Royal

Family Christmas festivities. With the exception of the Princoss Royal, who is at her York- vailed in most departments. shire home, all the children of their Majesies the King and Queen spent Christmas with their parents. The third generation Was, represented by Princess Elizabeth, Princess Margaret and Ludy Mary Cambridge, who is the daughter of the Marquis and Marchioness of Cambridge.

The Empire Brondenst.

The King's message to his peoples was broadcast throughout the Empire and beyond on Christ-Day, following the exchange of greetings westward round the Empire from London via Dublin, Bormuda, Ottawa, Wellington, Sydney, Bombay, 5% Lung Teing U. Capetown and back to London. When this chain was completed. in a quarter of hour, the King German 7% Int. spoke into a microphone in his at Sandringham and the message was transmitted to neurly every part of the Empire which

was converted into a family party. Another successful Christmas broadcast took place on Christmas Eve when the sound of the Bells of Bothlehem were carried by wireless over a great part of the world, in a brief programme, in which both Bethlehem and New York were linked with London .--British Wireless.

UPRIGHT VERDICT

LONDON COMMENT ON LEIPZIG TRIAL

London, Dec. 27. Most newspapers comment on the verdict in the Reichstag fire trial. Impl Tobacco ... Under the heading "An Upright Verdict," the Times says no message could have more seasonable or more welcome to lovers of justice throughout the world, and in leading article concludes: reaching the only verdict consonant with honour and justice, the court has struck a blow for humanity and preserved the Burma Corpn Rs high respect which the Gorman judiciary has commanded hitherto." The Daily Telegraph says the honour of the Supreme Court and

been fully vindicated. The Manchester Guardian says Trepca Mines ... the court has had the courage to Langlangte perform its duty of considering evidence on its merits.-British Wireless.

with it that of German justice has

FAMOUS MANUSCRIPT.

CODEX SINAITICUS ON VIEW IN LONDON

London, Dec. 27. The "Codex Sinaiticus," fourth century manuscript of the Bible bought from the Soviet by the Shell Trans and Government for the British Trad (Bearer) . Museum for £10,000, was brought Geldenhuis from Russia during the week-end Crown Mines by a courier and it is being placed on view in the Museum to-day.

Many substantial donations have been received in anticipation of the opening of a fund for the purchase of this famous manuscript. They include £500 from the Society known as the Friends of National Libraries, as the first donation. Lord Wakefield has sent cheque for £1,000 .- British Wire-

INSULL FIGHTS REMOVAL DECREE

FILES APPEAL IN STATE COUNCIL

Athens, Dec. 24. Mr. Samuel Insull, the American Utility Company's embezzlement Yokchama 1/21/4. case has filed an appeal with the Montevideo 35% Greek State Council against the Belgrade240 refused to renew Insull's permit of Silver (spot) 19.1/10 sojourn in Greece, expiring on De- Silver (forward) . 1914 cember 31. cember 31.

The appeal will be examined on January 19, it is announced .--

Believed to be intoxicated, a man named Wong Tong-choi, was sent to the Government Civil Hospital this SHOW ITSELF BUT PRIDE -Shake- cember 26 one case of typhoid (immorning. He was found at 4 a.m. to- speare. day on a bed in a hut on a hillside above Dragon Terrace with a gag of iron tied loosely with a piece of wire.
The police believe the gag was tied by the man himself. The man, stated to be a rag-picker, was unable to give 'n coherent account of his condition to the police,

DEATH,

LONDON STOCK PRICES

OPTIMISTIC FEELING

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messre. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuter. Market:-Optimistic conditions preday yacht race, closely followed by Luana, with A. L. Shields at the helm, Tern, sailed by Capt. Duchesne, won the event on her handicap yesterday.

The yachts left Hongkong at 7.30 o'clock on the morning of December 26, starting from Murray Pier. They had only a light wind for the whole day, but at I a.m. yesterday the weather changed, a hard wind springing up, accompanied by drizale.

Tern was first to round the Macao mark boat, followed by La Cigale and U. and I. some time afterwards. They reached the farther end of their course at about 8 p.m. on the first Chinese Bonds.

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EXCHANGE RATES

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Buenos Aires 35%

New York 5.1034

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Prague......110%

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YACHT RACING

AZUMA FIRST HOME

Although Asuma, skippered by E. B. Lambert, was first home in the Hongkong to Macao and back two-

course at about 8 p.m. on the first

day. Azuma and Luana did not

round the Macao mark boat until 2

a.m. on the following morning. But

The homeward course nouth of Lan-

At midnight last night there were

17h.11m.12s. 15h:36m.53s

18h.11m.20s. 16h.27m.17s.

Cor. Time

tau apparently paid better than that

still a number of yachts not report-

(E. B. Lambert). La Cigala 21h.27n.17s. 21h.27m.17s.

(Did not finish)

U. and I. 21h.43m.40s. 10h.56m.43s

Typhoon 6h.11m.20s. (To-day)

Curley 0h.40m.26s. (To-day)

The following are the times:

Finished

they made excellent time home.

laid north past Castle Peak.

ed back in Hongkong.

(N. V. A. Croucher)

(H. S. Rouse)

(A. L. Shielda)

(Capt. Fowkes)

Norseman (Did not finish)

WINS TWO-DAY

TO MACAO

(F. Manning) Wanderer (Did Not Finish) (E. Griffitha) (Did Not Finish) . (Commander Cowland)

CRICKET TOURNEY

NAVY IN GOOD POSI-TION AGAINST ARMY

When stumps were drawn yesterday after the first day's play in the Triangular Tournament cricket match between the Army and the Navy, the latter were 52 runs behind with eight wickets in hand. The game will be resumed to-day.

Rain delayed the commencement of the match which was due to start at 11 a.m., and actually it was not until after 11.30 that Lieut, Garthwaite and Capt. Michell went out to face the Navy attack. After the first few overs, the pitch was cut up pretty badly, but the first four batanien were

not troubled by the bowlers.

Garthwaite (35), Michell (25), Lt.
Williams (27) and Capt. P. V. Williams (36) put up 130, but the other seven batsmen failed miserably, the whole side being dismissed for only 167 runs. Put on late in the Army innings, Lt. Commdr. Browning took three wickets for only 19 runs.

Following up his 76 not out against the Kowloon C.C. the day before, Lieut. Larkin was in great form with the bat for the Navy. Going in after Lieut. Marsham had been dismissed for only one run, he was undefeated when stumps were drawn, with the Navy score at 115, his personal contribution being 64. Featured by straight drives, his innings was chanceless.

Lieut. Carver rendered valuable sup-16.92 port by knocking up 32 not out. He 13.69 14 hit a couple of beautiful drives 226 14 through the covers, and gave only one chance in the slips off Garthwaite. The scores were:

GAME CANCELLED. Y.M.C.A.—Hongkong

Hockey Off.

Owing to the intermittent rain yesterday afternoon, the friendly hockey 23.53 match arranged between the Hong-19.89 14 kong Hockey Club seniors and the Y.M.C.A. seniors, was cancelled. Ladies' Match.

The following will represent the Central British Association Indies In 1/21/2 n friendly hockey match against the 35% Club de Recreio Ladies first eleven 240 on the former's ground at King's 5.10 Park at 5.20 p.m. to-day,-F. Webber; 18% P. Woolley and F. V. Walker; M. 18.13/16 Bryson, E. Benvis and A. Cressey; D. 101% Miles, D. Hunt, M. Smith, P. Whitley and E. S. Woolley.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

PRIDE HATH NO OTHER GLASS TO

Messrs. Mackinnon, Mackenzie &

_British Wireless.

morning after the Christmus holf- Tickets are obtainable from the comdays, Mr. Mahan, the proprietor of mittee. the Mahan Book Store in D'Aguilar Street, discovered that his shop had . Those who have not yet seen the LAM WOO.—On Wednesday, Decomber 198 been broken into and the drawer of clever magician; M. Henry, will have been 27, 1938, at his residence No. I, Tramway Path, Lam Woo, aged Christmas Eve, and it appears that given at the Ko Shing Theatre in the robbers gained access by the place to-morrow, leaving the back door, which they broke open. An attempt to force the safe provents.

During the four days ended Deported) and two cases of meningitis were reported to the local health authorities. ..

The sixth annual dance of the Hongkong · Ladies' · Hockey Club will take place at Lane Crawfords restaur-Returning to business yesterday ant on January 12 at 9 p.m.

house at 2 p.m. for the Chinese An attempt to force the safe prove performances, at 7 p.m. and 9 p.m. Christian Comotory, Pokfulam, ed beyond their ability. Tickets are \$1 and 60 cents.

SHARE PRICES

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day. Banks.

H.K. Banks, \$1835 b. do. (London), £132 n. Chartered Bank, 215% n. Mercantile Bank. A.

£28% n. Morcantile Bank C., 8121/4 n. East Asia Bank, \$101 n. Am: O. Finance Corp., Bh. \$20 p. China O. Fin. Ord, Sh.\$4.75 n. China O. Fin. Prof. Sh. \$5 n.

Insurances Canton Ina., \$300 b. Union Ins., \$590 n. China Undomvriters, \$1.65 an. China Fire, \$525 n. H.K. Fire, Ins., \$260 b. International Assoc, Sh. \$6.25 n.

Bhipping. Douglas, \$341/2 n. H.K. Steambonts, \$121/2 sn. Indo-Chinas, (Pref.), \$30 n. Inde-Chinas, (Def.). \$35 n. Shells (Bearer) 50/71/2 n. Union Waterboats, \$15 n.

Mining. Antamoks, 88 cts, n. Balatocs, 84 cts. n. Bagulo Gold, 50 cts. n. Benguets, \$36 n. Bennuct Exploration, 30 ets. b. Benguet Goldfield, 30 cts. n. Big Wedge, 35 cts. n. Gold Greek, \$9 n. Ipo Mining, \$9 n. Itogons, \$71/2 n. Kailans, \$23/3 n. Langkats (Single), \$18 n. S'hal Explorations, Sh. \$4.35 n. S'hal Loans, \$6.65 n. Raubs, \$12.80 n. Vons: Goldfields, \$6 n.

Docks, etc. H.K. Wharves, \$115 b. H.K. Docks, \$161/2 n. S. China Motors A., \$6 n. S. China Motors B., \$8 n. Providents (old), \$2.80 n. Providents (now), \$1 n. Hongkows, Sh. \$351 n. Now Engineerings, Sh. \$7 n. Shanghal Docke, Sh. \$149 n.

Cotton Mills. Ewo Cottons, \$12.90 b. S'hal Cottons, Sh. \$1171/2 n. Zoong Sings, Sh. \$131/2 n. Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$70 n. Lands, Hotels, etc.

II, and S. Hotels, \$6.20 b. H.K. Lands, \$701/2 H. S'hai Lands, Sh. \$801/2 n. Motropolitan Lands, Sh. \$14 n. Humphreys, \$12 p. H.K. Renltles, \$5.78 b. Asia Realties "A" Sh. \$140 n. Asia Renities "B" Sh. \$20 n. Chinese Estates, \$97 n.-China Realties, Sh. \$151/2 n. China Debenture, Sh. \$137 n. Public Utilities.

Tramways, \$211/4 sa. Peak Trams (Old), \$15% n. Peak Trams, (New), \$7% n. Star Ferries (old), \$100 n. Yaumati Ferries (old), \$24% n China Lights (old), \$9.70 b China Lights (new), \$9.60 b. H.K. Electrics, \$73% s. Macao Electrics, \$231/2 b. Sandakan Lights, \$101/2 n. Telephones (c Rt.), \$30.50 n. Telephones (x. Rt.), \$241/2 b. Telephones (Rights), \$101/2 n. China Buses, Sh. \$111/4 n. Singapore Tractions, 3/- n. Singapore Pref., 15/- n.

Industrials. Malabon Sugars \$15 n. Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. \$21 n. Cald: Macg. (Prof.), \$191/2 n. Canton Ices, \$2% n. Coments (old), \$3% n. Cements (new), \$8% n. H.K. Ropes, \$6% n.

Bteres. etc. Dairy Farms, \$28 b. Watsons, \$61/2 b. Der A Wings, \$1 n. Lane Crawfords, \$4.45 n. Mackintoshs, \$21 n. Sinceres, \$18.20 n. Wm, Powells, \$2.10 n. Wing On (H.K.), \$140 n.

Miscellaneous. Amusements, \$41/4 n. H.K. Entertainments, \$101/4 n. S.C. Entemprises, \$11/2 n. United Theatres, Sh. 32 n. Macao "Greyhounds," \$2 n. Constructions (old), \$2 n. Constructions (now), 50 ct. b. B. Ind. G. Bonds, \$81% n. H.K. Govt. Loan \$4% b. Prem. Wallace Harpers, \$8 n.

RADIO BROADCAST

TO-DAY'S BROADCAST.

SELECTIONS BY THE 8.S. CORFU BAND THIS EVENING

From ZBW on a wavelength of

5-8 p.m. European programme. 5-6 p.m. A relay of the Hongkong Hotel Danco Orchestra from the Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden. 6-6.30 p.m. Children's Concert from the Studio.

Sonata in F Minor (Brahms, Op. 120, No. 1). Lionel Tertis (Violin) and Harriet Cohen (Planoforte).

1st Movement-Allegro appas-2nd Movement-Andante un poce ndagio. 3rd Movement-Allegrotte

4th Movement-Vivace. 7 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quota-

tions, etc. 7.3-8 p.m. From the Studio. Selections by the a.s. Corfu Band. 8 p.m. Local Time and Weather 8.3-10.30 p.m. Chinese Studio Con-

10.30 p.m. Rugby Midday Pross

10.35 p.m. Close Down. Should reception prove satisfactory, the programme between 5 and 6 p.m. will be replaced by a relay from

Daventry. All relays from the Hongkong Hotel are by courtesy of the Management and during the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the

DR. F. W. NORWOOD VISITS COLONY.

TO PREACH IN HONGKONG NEXT SUNDAY

The B. I. steamer Santhla brought to Hongkong yesterday afternoon the Rev. Dr. Norwood, Minister of the City Temple, London, and noted advocate of pence; also a regiment of Pun-Jabis transferred from India to Hongkony.

Dr. F. W. Norwood is in his fifteenth year as minister of the City Tomple, having held the pastorate longer than any of his prodecessors, except the famous Dr. Joseph Parker who was there for 33 years. Dr. Norwood was a minister in various Churches in Australia from 1900 to 1917: for two years he was an Army chaplain in France, and the story goes that when he filled the pulpit on one occasion in the City Temple in 1919 he was immediately invited to the pastorate.

Dr. Norwood is accompanied by Mrs. Norwood and their son, Mr. Graeme Norwood, who is acting as his secretary. They will be the guests, during their stay in. Hongkong, of the Rev. Frank Short and Mrs. Short of the

London Missionary Society. Last night Dr. Norwood left by the night steamer for Canton, but he will return in time to preach in Sunday at 10.30 a.m. in the Union Church, Hongkong; at 12 o'clock in the Hop Yat Church, and at 6 o'clock in the Union Church, Kowloon.

On Monday afternoon a reception in his honour is being. given in the London Missionary. Society's compound in Caine Road.

MESSAGE TO TOKYO.

HIS MAJESTY SENDS CONGRATULATIONS

London, Dec. 27. H.M. the King sent the following message to the Emperor of Japan on the occasion of the birth of an heir to the throne: "The Queen and I rejoice at the

happy news of the birth of an heir to your Imperial House and hasten to send to Your Imperial Majesty our warmest congratulations."-British Wircless.

NEW YEAR'S EVE

SPECIAL DINNER DANCE

AT THE

CAFE DE LUXE

EXCELLENT MENU SPECIAL MUSIC COVER CHARGE \$3.50

8 p.m. to 1 a.m. DRESS OPTIONAL. RESERVATION TEL. 30515.

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THE "TELEGRAPH'S" PAGE ABOUT HOME FOOTBALL

THAT CHRISTMAS IS OVER

WE CAN EXPECT TO SEE SOME SETTLED FORM

PROMOTION AND RELEGATION INDICATIONS

(By "The Pilgrim")

THE football world having lost to some degree the exhilaration of Christmas, I expect the good form teams to justify themselves this week-end. No doubt some of the clubs who displayed hidden resources during this topsyturvy week will be able to hold the pace a little longer.

TERBY are now rivals with Huddersfield as challengers for the premier position so long vacated, but now firmly held by Arsenal. Even Chelsea, Rotherham, Darlington, and Lincoln got a kick out of the festive season and garnered a few much needed points. It is a pity that they all gained slightly, leaving themselves almost in the same positions in the League. Not one of them is out of the slough and we are half way through the season!

up who will test the leaders' wind. pace before long. Reading, for finding points on all fields.



Striking-action-picture-taken-of-Cup tie between Crystal Palace and Norwich. (Planet News).

Walsall have leapt to third place after figuring inconspicuously in the list up to this month.

Meanwhile Mansfield are being out of 22. consistent in keeping up the steady decline that has marked their play since the end of last season.

And Middlesbro'!

They have shown the most wonin the League. They are fairly re- home out of 11 matches.

It is not too early to talk of liable at home and have won three promotion prospects and relega-tions fears. Grimsby, Norwich and Chesterfield are the obvious ones that come to one's mind but there are others creeping talent or are getting their second

Time was when the Club held a

It is a curious fact that Birmingham, whose stock has sunk badly and who have scored fewer goals DURNLEY Supporters' Club have Traylor (the new boy centre for PORTSM'TH (2) v Newcastle (0) than all except Stoke City, have B given more than £80 worth of ward), Jones (C.), Jones (D.), and WEDNESDAY (2) v Manch'tr C (1) had less scored against them than balls to the Turf Moor club since Holmes. The last three are at SUNDRLND (1) v Huddrsfid (2) in their division.

The Highbury club have conceded THE Wolves have tried five play-20 goals which is two more than | ers at right half-back. Chesterfield.

Southport also have nine draws to their credit whilst Grimsby is now the only club which has not divided ball. They are 27 short.

DARLE, an inside forward who made thirty-one appearances with New Brighton last season. MANCH'TR with New Brighton last season.

fic net finders in the First Division made than George Waterfield, the PHERE was no difference be- Swansea (2) v BURY (1) but their total of 51 is easily sur- Burnley full-back, who has now tween Cann and Cant at Plypassed by Rangers with 71, (in 21 completed ton years' service at mouth, for Cant, the Bury reserve matches), Grimsby with 59 and by Turf Moor. Motherwell with 57 although the

have not lost a match on their own minutes. grounds this season.

Chelsen have only collected one point away out of a possible 20 and Sheffield United have obtained two

Against this, Motherwell boast of periences over there. not having lost a fixture away and have only conceded two points in DRADFORD City are interested 11 matches.

Bristol City have only treated derful improvement of any Club their supporters to two wins at

True Story of Rise To Football Fame

chronological story of Rowe, the

1912-A little fair-haired chap of getting an occasional kick, when the top of his school in work as well as where near the top when the end big boys of his school are practising play. shooting after school hours.

1014-Aged eight, he is playing for his third school team—his first match -running down the right wing, tricking boys much older than himself, and helping his team to win a handsome victory.

1916-Aged ten, he is playing for the first team at outside-right, and, as the years progress, making his mark as forward, back and half-

1920-He captains cricket, football and swimming, his team winning the First Division table. championship in each case.

1021-A West Ham crowd sees a hard game in the semi-final of the Downe Shield London Schools Chammuscles and bones fall to go back borne such excellent fruit.

Not he. He stays until the finish, in- there will be anything doing. master of the Downhills, School, cidentally saving an almost certain N.15, contributes the following goal within two seconds of time. Wilson, absent injured from The Spurs' trainer takes he foot in hand and, in the replay, the lad is Tottenhan Hotspur and English able to play for his school, which 103 consecutive League games and IVI mising young goalkeeper in J. International footballer's pro- wins by 2 to 1 and goes on to win six Cup ties since January 1931.

comes out first in Standard Ex. VI

1033-On Saturday, Oct. 7, the boy, now a man of 27, is acting captain of Tottenham Hotspur and leads them

WATCH FOR CAPT. FOSTER'S RACING NOTES TO-MORROW.

to victory against Sunderland, help ing to put his team at the top of the

half for England against France.

Parkhurst School, Tottenham. pionship. The score is 2-2, when proud of him and, as his headmaster this boy, in making a tackle, forces when he was at school, I feel pleased his boy, in making a tackle, lorden to think that the fine training my his toes back, suffering agony as the sports-musters gave our boys has



Yeovil ladies football team met Sherborne ladies in a cup-tie match at Yeovil last month, and this photograph shows the rival captains shaking hands before the start of the match. (Planet News).

CLUBHOUSE CHATTER BY "THE PILGRIM"

ARSENAL'S 1000TH LEAGUE POINT: SUPPORTERS' £80 WORTH OF FOOTBALLS: BIG KICKER

(By "The Pilgrim")

Northfleet nursery.

ALEX James is not the only

graduate of Raith Rovers in

League games are players who

began their careers with the club

ton, Carr, Kendall, Moss, Ewart,

Swanson wag suggests that

Hushes, Twist, and Holdcroft.

Rickett, who plays for Tilbury.

the-ball scheme.

in Lengue football.

ward of Manchoster United.

remarkable improvement

NIOW that Mills, the Orient in-

instance are coming on strongly high place among the leaders and it DEARS, the Oldham Athletic leit | Morley, their outside left, to again and Queen's Park are looks as if those times are being winger, is a much-sought-after Preston North End. player, and one club well south of Birmingham are on the verge THE Spurs could almost play an DERBY (2) of deciding to bid.

NOTHER achievement within teen others. Newport, and A the Arsenal's grasp, their

THERE are few footballers for has now signed for Worcester City. Oldham (1) Huddersfield are the most proli- whom more offers have been goalkeeper, was beaten three times

latter have played one more match. WITH the dark days immediately nhead, referces have just re-Blackburn, Derby County, Arsen- ceived-an-official reminder that TWO of the Spurs' attendants at some mid-field play in the English | al, Preston, Queen's Park, Reading, they should keep the "lemon time" Stockport, Barnsley, and Rangers, down to the stipulated five

L'OOTBALLERS who get offers from America which seem very tempting should ask Manager CLAPTON Orient, since the war, O'Brien, of Queen's Park Bangers, to tell them the story of his ex-

in Batey, the Carlisle winger, who has been in brilliant form

MANCHESTER City continue to CAUSER, Jones, Foote, Whalley, Wrexham (3) v BARNSLEY (0) Chesterfield IVI find them in the north-east. | Mitchell, Wilcock. Branston, Marshall and Donathey, inside Elliott, Fox, Prout, Scott, Wharright and centre forward respectively, of West Wylam Welfare, Fawcett, Foster, Hampton, Wolf are due for trials at Maine-road.

IULHAM have been showing an interest in Cook, the Chester-Mr. E. A. Pope, now head into place. Does he leave the field? field leader, but I don't think

W. Millwall recently, had played

CAID a Bury director a week ago; -"We have complete con-A the form of Tommy Holmes, of six hanging round the goal-posts, and in the examinations, thus reaching the fidence that we shall be some-Southport, dates from the time when his wife won the ball in the of the season comes." Southport Supporters' penny-on-

VICKERS, the former Charlton back, has come right into the limelight of the talent-apotters with Port Vale.

MEARLY all the game's scoring ton Wanderers to secure his serrecords have been created vices. since the 1925-6 change in the offside rule, but one that has sur- Thenr that Stanley Hardy, whose vived for thirty-five years is held by the one and only William Mere-Forest was cut short by illness, dith, who shot thirty-four goals has completely recovered. from outside right for Manchester City in the Second Division in the senson 1898-9.

On Nov. 27 this lad, Arthur Rove | DRISTOL City have signed an by name, is selected to play centre- Doutside left of considerable promise in Charles Willey, who is is not yet eighteen.

> DRISTOL City must have been B disappointed when hearing that S Irish Association may reach the Middlesbrough is freely mentioned in Taunton Town had transferred law courts.

BOOK(By "Robia") HOME .--Walsall Swindon Liverpool

TO BEAT THE

Derby Bradford C. Wednesday West Brom. A. Swansea Aldershot Rangers Hartlepools

Manchester U

AWAY .-

DRAWS.

Arsenal Grimsby Dundee

Darlington

Southport

Forecast

GIVES THIRTEEN AWAY WINNERS

(By "The Pilgrim")

ENGLISH LEAGUE

First Division v ARSENAL (1) Birm'ghm (0) CHELSEA () r Stoke (-) v Middlesbro (2) v Blackbrn (1) all-Welsh team: T. Evans, W. Leeds (3) Evans, Day, O'Callaghan, Whatley, LIVERP'L (5) WEST BROM (3) v Everton (1)

Second Division

English football. There are nine- Bolton (-) v WEST HAM (-) Bradfd C (1) v S'thamptn (0) BRENTFRD () v Notth F () v GRIMSBY (0) made thirty-one appearances Millwall (2) MANCH'TR U (4) v Plym'th (0) * LINCOLN (0) with New Brighton last season, Notts. C (-) v Hull (-) v Bradfrd (3) PORT VALE (1) v Fulham (2) PRESTON (-) v Blackp'l ()

Third Division South

ALDERSHOT (2) v Torquay (0) and so was Cann, in goal for Ply- B'rnem'th () Brighton (4) v Q PARK (1) BRISTOL R_(1)_v_Bristol_C._(1) Cardiff (1) v WATFORD (1) Clapton (0) v Norwich (0) CRYSTAL P (4) v S'thend (1) fifty years ago-Billy Mason and Gillingham (3) EXETER (4) v Reading (1) Billy Harston. Who remembers LUTON (2) v Coventry (0) v North'mptn (1) SWINDON (2) v Newport (0)

Third Division North

have had the help of thirteen Accregin (1) v Stockp'rt (1) former Tottenham Hotspur play- CREWE (2) v Barrow (0) DARL'GTN (5) v Rochdale (1) Gatesh'd (-) v CHESTR'FLD (-) LIOW would you like to hold HALIFAX (0) v Carlisle (1) down the job of goalkeeper for HARTLEP'LS (6) v Mansf'ld (3) N Brighton (4) v Donc'str (4) Preston North End? They have v Chester (5) had twenty-three since the war:-8'thprt (1) v TRANMERE (1)

SCOTTISH LEAGUE First Division

AB'RD'N (2) · v Airdrie (0) CLYDE (6) . v Dundee (3) v Celtic (1) HAMILTON (4) v S Mirren (3) A sand be placed at the side of HEARTS (4) the playing field, in order to stop KILMARN'CK (3) v Partick (0) the team slipping into the Third QUEEN'S P. (5) v Cowd'nb'th (0) v Th Lannrk (-) Q 0'8'TH () RANGERS () v Hibern'na (-) MILLWALL have signed a pro- S J'stone (0) v M'TH'WELL (1)

> WALTER Amos, their veteran out- Wrexham W side left, is the only man who has New Brighton . . figured in every game Bury have Rotherham played to date.

U prospects of another Bourton in L. C. Thornton, a young inside left from the Derby district. side left, has become an inter- WALTER Lambeth, West Bromwich national, there may be a speed- VV Albion's Junior international, has

COVENTRY City supporters see Rochdale

ing-up on the part of Wolverhamp- been operated upon for cartilage Motherwell 23 IT is said that Tolland, the inside Aberdeen I forward whom Northampton accur. Hearts er from Ayr United, may go back to Kilmarnock

career as manager of Notts Scotland before long-at a fee. A LTHOUGH Cardiff City have failed Falkirk to maintain their early promise, Queen o'South . . 22 TACK Kirby, of Derby County, is one there are movements to introduce new Celtic 20

of the longest kicking goalkeepers blood-including directors. . CUNDERLAND'S price for Bob Hibernians 22 IF Linfield write a cheque for £500 D Gurney is understood to be in the Clydo 21 I they have a chance of securing the region of £7,000.

transfer of Warburton, an inside for-Will ocure David Jack's services as manager if he retires at COME recent suspensions by the the end of the season? The name of this respect.

FIGURES WHICH SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES

A USEFUL LEAGUE TABLE RECORDS GUIDE

The following tabulated league table records of all the clubs in the English League and the first division of the Scottish League show their home and away performances up to and including yesterday's matches.

> ENGLISH LEAGUE FIRST DIVISION.

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THIRD DIVISION (NORTH).

SCOTTISH LEAGUE. FIRST DIVISION Total Home.

Darlington

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CIVILIANS AND NAVY PROMISE GREAT DUEL WHITEAWAYS

the Chinese team on New Year's Day.

AGAIN .

DEFEATED

CLUB "A" LOSE TO

NAVY XV

(By "Line Out")

A Navy side picked from the Med-

way, Suffolk and Kent beat the Club

"A" at Happy Valley yesterday even-

ing by one goal and a try (8 points)

The day's rain had made the ground

wet, and light drizzle fell at the start

of the game making the ball heavy,

resulting in poor passing and hand-

ling amongst the Club's back. The

Navy backs, however, handled better

and pressed at the start to go over

for a try in the corner after the scrum

half had worked the blind side. The

wards gave their backs plenty of

and Hocquard (Lincolns).

Joseph's

The week-end programme is:

SATURDAY.

LAI WAH CUP FINAL.

LEAGUE.

SECOND DIVISION.

Club v Borderers Club.

THIRD DIVISION.

SUNDAY.

FIRST DIVISION.

Athletic v.S. Chinn-Club

MONDAY.

CHILDREN'S PLAYGROUND

MATCH.

Club, 8.80 p.m.

Rest of Colony v Chinese-

R.E. v Lincolns-Athletic, 4

Borderers v University-Kow-

R.A. v Navy-Military, H.V.

S. China v Kowloon-Caroline

Navy v Civilians-Club, 3.30

chances, only to see them frittered

Throughout the game the Club for-

to one try (3 points).

kick failed.

RUGBY

IN SATURDAY'S LAI WAH CUP FINAL

Superior Team Work May Decide Issue

PROGRAMME FOR THE NEW YEAR.

(By "Veritas").

OUP tie fever is to usher in Hongkong's 1934 football, when on Saturday, the Civilians and Navy meet in the final for the Lai Wah Cup. Recollections of the semi-final games make, speculation concerning this encounter fascinatingly interesting.

THE Navy are generally recognised as being one of the finest teams in the Colony, and this is supported by their performances. On the other hand the Civilians, in defeating the Chinese, provided the most spectacular football of the year. By this surely, we can confidently expect a rousing match on Saturday?

Barring injuries and other unforeseen circumstances, the Navy will field the same team as that which opposed the Recreto in the League last week, namely:

Liddington lames West Purkins McGuire Mitchell Hudspeth Smith Langmead Barnett Skinner

Here is a clever and well balanced combination, and one which I cannot help feeling will win, in spite of all the attractive qualities of the Civilian team.

NAVY'S REAL STRENGTH.

The strength of the Navy is not TO WIN:found in the possession of one or two spper players, but in the equality of skill and craft which exists in all departments, which has been consolidated into a perfect understanding in and between defence and attack.

It is this which chiefly influences one to adopt a sanguine attitude to their chances of winning the Lai Wah Cup: If anything is to turn the game in favour of the Navy it is their team work. This phase always has, and always will.



Au Kim-fung, of the Athletic, who has been chosen to play for the Chinese against the Rest on Monday.

generally be expected to win.

Which is not to infer that the If the Athletic could be relied serves:-Tong Kwan and Wong esc. Nevertheless I feel they any case much depends on whether (Club), N. Beltrao (St. Joseph's) casion to produce such highly covered from last week's injury, (St. Joseph's). Elliott (Kowloon), whereas the Navy exploit it best behaviour. er naturally.

With three exceptions, the Civilians will be the same as the team which won on December 9, and there is only one alteration to the line-up which was originally chosen for the semi-final tie.

CIVILIAN LINE-UP.

been preferred to Elliott, The team will thus be:

> McHardy A. V. Gosano E. Strange L. G. Robertson N. Beltrao S. Bliss

B. Gosano A. Ward A. Howe E. Strange B. Bickford

be treated lightly. The defence the Club ground. should be almost cast-iron. The half backs do not invite quite such | Chinese: - Pau Ka-ping (8. a confident statement, but the China): Leung In-chan (8. China) talent is there. The forward-line and Mak Sul-hon (Athletic): Ho -on paper-compares very fa- | Chor-yin (Athletic), Loung Wing-

MY FORECAST.

LEAGUE. 1st. Division

TO WIN .-S. China

2nd. Division TO WIN:-

Athletic S. China Borderers

TO DRAW:-

Artillery 3rd. Division

Lincolns

R.A.F.

Borderers TO DRAW:-

R.A.M.C:

Lai Wah Cup

Navy

Children's Playground Match i TO WIN:-

Chinese

the first division programme for several attacks were ruined by drop- the defence. the first division programme for ped passes. The forwards efforts Wild Swan:—Alford: Humphreys Usher and Rimmer. Saturday, which is rather a pity were eventually rewarded by Harris and Simms: Green, Crescy and Herald:—Yuille: I Joseph's to look forward to.

CHINESE "DERBY".

But on Sunday the Club ground with plenty of spirit, and considering offers an attraction in the second it was soon after Christmas it was meeting of the season of South really enjoyable to play in and watch. China and the Athletic. It was in the very first match of the season that they played before, chui (S. China), and Lee Kwokplay the most important part in when South China, not at all con- wai (S. China): Tang Kwong- EARNS SUFFOLK a football match, and whichever vincingly, won by four goals to sum (Athletic), Au Kim-fung team is most skilled in it, can one. But this time I think they (Athletic), Ho Ka-keung (Athlewill again win, and more de- tic); Tay Qua-tong (S. China) and Fung King-mu (Athletic). Re-

Civilians have no combination. upon to produce the same form as Wing (S. China). Quite the opposite was express- that revealed against the Club and The Rest:-Cord (Kowloon) A. ed in very emphatic terms by East Lancs one could reasonably V. Gosano (St. Joseph's) and S. their display against the Chin- expect a division of points. In Strange (Club): L. G. Robertson have to be inspired by the oc- Ho Ka-keung has completely re- and Bliss (Kowloon): B. Gosano developed unity of movement, and whether Au Kim-fung is on A. Howe (Club), Ridley (Lincolns)

Given these two factors the Athletic should give South China

a good run for their money. NEW YEAR'S DAY MATCH

Chinese Athletic are strongly represented in the Chinese team to oppose the Rest of the Colony on New Year's Day. Mak Sui-Hon, Ho Chor-yin, Tang Kwong-sum, A. V. Gosano, Bliss and Duncan Au Kim-fung, Ho Ka-keung and come into the side, and Ward has Fung King-mu have found places, and the side, made up with South China players, is particularly

The Rest rearguard will have to strike good form to stop the Chinese forward line, which is almost the best that can now be put into the field.

The Rest will field quite a sound combination, including the Ridley-Hocquard loft wing.

The match is being played on behalf of the Children's Playground fund, and a record crowd And this isn't a combination to should be present on Monday at

The teams will be:-

FLEET LEAGUE FOOTBALL LANGMEAD'S TWO

HELPS BERWICK TO WIN

GOALS

Displaying infinite superiority in practically all departments, the Berwick yesterday trounced H.M.S. Suffolk in a first division, C.F.L. match at Happy Valley by four goals to nil.

Langmend was in happy mood, and in addition to scoring two goals, was the leading raider on the field. The Navy centre-forward held his forwards together with real skill and initiative.

Pay Mid. Smith, the Navy inside right was also prominent for the 667 losers, but he was badly supported, and although clover in individual efforts, found himself smothered by Tang. Kwong-sum, Athletic outside the determined Berwick defence, right, who is another selection for Thomson was a tower of strength for the Suffolk, and it was largely due to him that the team's deficit was not higher. The Berwick played well to a man and any other result would have been insulting to

Langmend (2), Morgan and Ryan scored for the Berwick, whose team was :- Funnell: James and Jenkins: Kent, Kennedy and Camsell: Jones, Morgan, Langmead, Ryan and

Suffolk; Pepper: Young and Treagls: Dodds, Cosens, and Love: Thomson, Smith, White, Hall and Thompkins.

FORWARDS RIOT

SEVEN GOALS FOR THE WILD SWAN

Opposed by a weak Tamar cleven, the Wild Swan yester-day scored an easy victory in the second division of the initial half. C.F.L. when they netted seven times to the Tamar's twice

the Navy insides were well up to near goal. Clark had the satisfaction of vourably with their opposing Navy scored once again in the netting four goals, completing the netting four goals, completing the netting four goals, completing the netting four goals, and Gold-numbers. Toss up a coin and ped past to score half way in for the ped past to score half way in for the try to be converted. Harboard should other three.

The chances are infinitely greater have prevented the score if he had Smith scored the Tamar's solitary taken the scrum half instead of try- first half goal, and Rowe added a Sea. Foad as follows: The bringing forward of this ing to intercept an anticipated pass.

The bringing forward of this The Club then pressed strongly and ing a fine individual burst through match, of course, has put paid to

as we had that exciting clash be- Walker going over for a good try in Riley: Tipple, Food, Clark, Drewery tween the Borderers and St. the corner after the ball had and Golding. passed down the line. Robertson's Tamar:-King: Mann and Willey:

kick was good but not quite good Hope, Hulme and Weir: Smith, Rowe, Chappel, Handford and Wing-The game was played throughout field.

DEFENCE GREAT

POINTS

BERWICK LITTLE UNLUCKY

The Suffolk owed it largely to their defence that they beat the Berwick by two goals to nil yesterday in the third division of the China Fleet Football League.

Lelliot, the Suffolk goalkeeper was especially prominent; and saved dangerous shots from Mugford, Worthington and Breddon with splendid judgment. He often earned rounds of applause for his fine anticipation Y. Indians v Athletic-St. and clean clearances.

Peddal opened the Suffolk account by converting a penalty, and the lead was further increased in the first half through Jones, who broke clean away on his own. The Berwick were decidedly unfor-

tunate to finish the first half two goals in arrears. . Koon and Miller, the Berwick backs figured prominently in the second, R.A.M.C. v Recroio-Chatham when the Suffolk forwards became somewhat more dangerous on 'the

R.A.S.C. v R.A.F .- Military, 4 move. goal-scoring opportunition were lost by both sets of vanners in the closing stages owing to the slippery state of the ground, which rendered ball control rather difficult. H.M.S. Berwicks -- Davious Koon, Miller; Boyd, French, Lake; Broeze; Mugford, Worthington, Breddon,

Williams. H.M.B. Buffolk: - Lolliot; Eyro, Styles; Peddall, Lowis, Scanlon; Howell, Jones, Rees, Thorton.

TWO BIG SPORTS FEATURES.

FOR "TELEGRAPH" READERS TO-MORROW.

To-morrow's editions of the Telegraph will contain two big sports features.
"Capt. Foster" will con-

tribute his usual page on local and general racing, including comments on the Fanling Races for next Sunday and latest Derby and Subscription griffins gallops.

R. Abbit's cricket notes, recognised as the best informed comments on local cricket will also appear, and will, among other things, deal with the Triangular Tournament matches.

Kejuvenated

SCORE FIVE AGAINST HERALD

In a very one-sided Second Division match at Happy Valley yesterday, H. M. S. Veteran overwhelmed H. M. S. Herald to win by five goals to nil, four of which were scored in the first half.

The Veteran led by two goals after ten minutes of play, Campbell being responsible for both. He took advantage of errors by the Herald defence to make no mistake. Another blunder by Harding, who attempted to pass back to the goalkeeper, allowed Fyint to nip in and scored the third goal and five minutes from the interval, Rimmer added the fourth, ramming home a rasping ground shot.

Save for a brief effort by the Herald to reduce the arrears in the early part of the second half,

Rimmer scored from a breakaway, and from that point the Wild Swan settled the Issue in the Herald gave up all attempts to early stages by piling on three quick save the game. Nevertheless Hardaway. Meeke was getting the ball carly stages by piling on three quick save the game. Nevertheless Hard-away from the scrum well, but Jen-goals, and at the interval led by four ing and Cuthell, the Herald backs kins took some time before he could goals to one. hold a pass.

Cockrane usually a forward, was playing at inside three quarters and had an unenviable task, as the backs ran across, and if he did hold a pass good form and could not be be been and sould not be b

vain efforts to rally his team. Herald:-Yuille: Harding and

Veteran: -Watson: Winkles and Wiltshire: Frost, Meen and Huckley: Evans, Campbell, Flint, Herald:-Yuille: Harding and

Cuthell: Yule, Dovey and Williams, Yates, Mottram: Thorpe, Cordell and Arundell,

M.C.C. PLAY DRAW. Calcutta, Doc. 27.

The Marylebone Cricket Club

tourists played a one-day match against the British in Bengal to-day, which resulted in a draw. M.C.C. had 187 for five, declared. Barnett taking a 94, including thirtoon fours and a six. Elliott scored 43. six fours and one six included. The Bongal team scored 121 for eight wickets, Marriott taking five for

55 .- Reuter.

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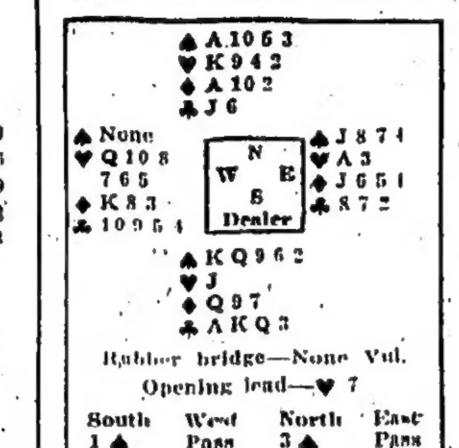
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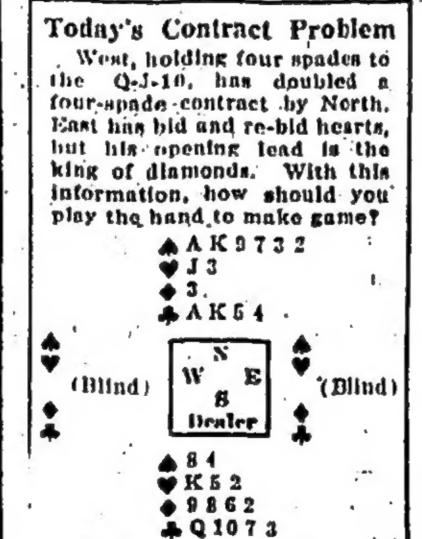
The ten of spades was returned from dummy, East put up the jack and South won the trick with the king. South then led the nine of spades, picking up East's last trump. West, in the meantime, had discarded two clubs. Reilly now cashed the ace, king,

with a club and discarding a heart and a diamond. Dummy did the same and East followed with two clubs and a diamond.

and queen of clubs, West following

This left West with the queen and ten of hearts and king and eight of diamonds. North had the nine and king of hearts and the ace and ten of diamonds.

Reilly led his last trump and West was squeezed, which gave Reilly his contract of six-odd.





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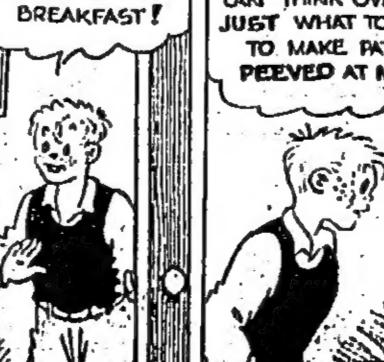
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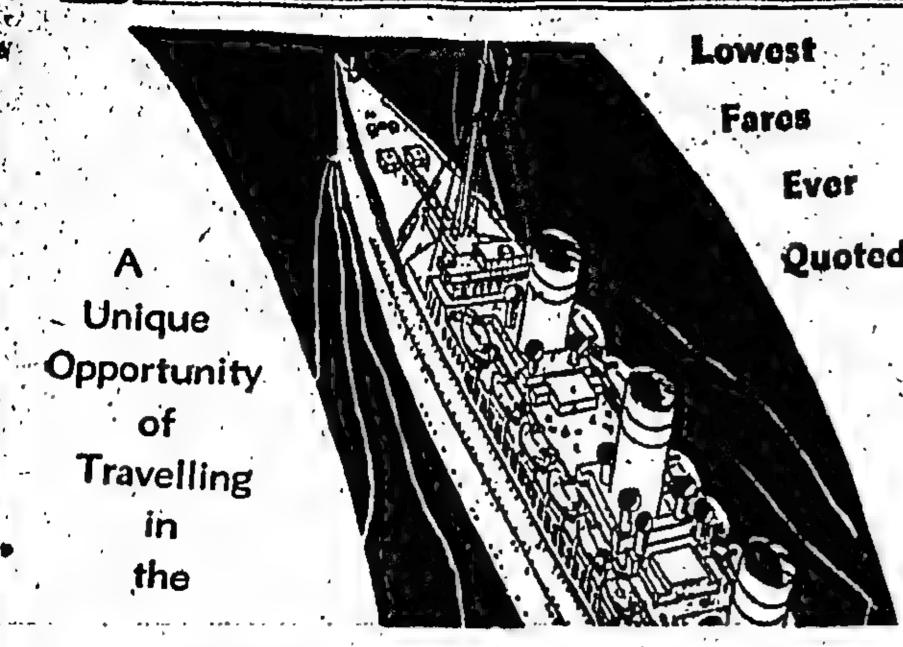


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The distinction of having been booked for the entire Gaumont-British Circuit before being trade-shown, falls to "There Goes The Bride", the joyous Gainsborough-British Lich musical comedy, which stars Jessie Matthews and Owen Nares. It is regarded as the most joyous British comedy romance to date, and as an outstanding triumph for Jessie Matthews, whom the Daily Mail critic refers to as creating a sensation. "Here charm and impudence" writes the film correspondent of the News Chronicle. "are conveyed with such an easy naturalness, and she is so different from any other screen heroine, that I AMRITEAR was not surprised to learn that the UANGKOK Gaumont-British Company have sign-ed her on a two years' contract". BOMBAT "There Goes The Bride" will be shown UALCUTTA. at the King's Theatre next Sunday.

"Tugboat Annie"

With Marie Dressler as Annie, redeubtable feminine skipper of Puget
Sound, and Wallace Beery as the
irresponsible but irresistible Captain
Terry, "Tugboat Annie," much heralded filmization of Norman Rellly
nonggong Theatre. The picture marks the first lag business transacted. co-starring appearance of Miss Dressler and Beery since the memorable Deposits received for one year or shorter Min and Bill." Directed by Mervyn periods at rates which will be quoted on HANKOW LeRoy, who directed "Gold Diggers of application 1933," "Little Caesar" and other hits, the new picture tells a vivid story of Northwestern waterfronts with the two central figures cast in inimitable roles. Laughs, thrills, tears and tense drama all have their share in the narrative. Miss Dressler plays the aggressive feminine, tugbent ious entertaining episodes they are seen in hilarious quarrels and difficulties. Then their son grows up and Alexandria becomes the captain of a liner. To Batavia father comes through with an herole Calcutte sacrifice. Robert Young, last seen in Change "Hell Below," plays the son with Dairen (Dalay) Moll Maureen O'Sullivan in the juvenile Fengtien Nagasa

romantic lead. Prominent roles are (Munden)
slao played by Willard Robertson.
Tanımany Young, Frankie Darro, Jack Harbin Pennick and Paul Hurst. Much of Hongkoos the picture was filmed with actual tugbont thrills at Scattle Harbour. Hundreds took part in some of the film's spectacular scenes. Among the story's highlights are the race for the wrecked ship, Beery's comical theft of the tug's hawser and its denouement, the breaking up of the school's com-

In a luxurious penthouse apartment on New York's notorious avenue of where many amusing incidents take place. An ultra-modern touch is brought into the story when the scene is transferred to a beer garden, with drams ferred to a beer garden, with a horde of customers quaffing the foamy fluid, and the four luscious girls now somewhat down on their luck, singing and dancing on the stage at one end of the enclosure. As a distinct contrast to those perfectly lawful scenes are other episcdes laid in a New York speakeasy, and all sorts of gambling games in operation. Supporting June Knight and Neil Hamilton in "Ladies Must Love" are Dorothy Burgess, Sally O'Neil, Mary Carlisie, George E. Stone and other well known players, and the tuneful picture was directed by E. A. dePont.

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MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR VICTIMS

The throng packed the Gare de formed into a chapelle ardente. Rev. E. C. H. Tribbeck, who pro- tomb of St. Francis Xavier.

Three magnificent wreaths one posed the loyal toast and brought Mr. J. S. Shak, the Chairman, former Premier, M. Sarraut, now biggin.

List Grows.

Paris, Dec. 27. number of fatalities to 203 to-day. Official Inquiry.

The official inquiry into the had been arranged, cause of the accident, although unfinished, has disclosed, ac ording to some accounts, that the automatic register on the engine of \$10 assisted those who prepared shows that the signal was not the entertainment.

Induction the had been arranged.

Cigarettes for the evening were supplied by the B.A.T. and Miss library.

Bishop Valtoria spoke interestingly of his recent visit to Shang-hai.

Meanwhile, the driver and fire- and forced to obtain another conman of the express, arrested im- nexion .- Reuter. mediately after the collision, have been set at liberty.

Remarkable ' Escape.

Salzburg, Dec. 27. angry when he was crowded out train.-British Wireless.

2HOWING

TO-DAY

CHRISTMAS DINNER.

SAILORS AND SOLDIERS HOME PARTY

Paris, Dec. 27.

The President of the Republic, members of the Government and over 600 relatives of victims of the Lagny railway disaster, were present, sent to-day at a memorial service half near the county of the results of the Republic and the generosity of the St. John the Evangelist, was held at the Club, 16 Caine Road last night near the county of a number of lady helpers who decorated the rooms and were related to the Recognition of the Chinese Catholic Young Men's Society in honour of their patron Saint, St. John the Evangelist, was held at the Club, 16 Caine Road last night near the county of the Rt. Rev. Bishop H. held near the scene of the collision. sponsible, under Mrs. Sprague, for Valtorta. Prior

l'Est central hall, which was trans- the President of the Home, the grimage to Sancien Island, to the

The tenst to "Absent Friends" a great success. He also speke of was the subject of an elequent visits made to poor country people. speech by Mr. W. Sprague and Father G. T. Byrne said it was numerous indoor amusements which to have a library.

England's Sympathy.

London, Dec. 27. The condolences of the British Government were conveyed by the The famous theatrical impressible British Ambassador, Lord Tyrell, Revenue returns for week ended sario Max Reinhardt, who has just on Sunday, to M. Lebrun, President December 23 show that ordinary arrived from Paris, tells how he of the French Republic, on the expenditure for the year to date narrowly escaped being a victim terrible disaster which occurred on amounts to £501,196,217 and in the Lagny disaster. He had Saturday night near Lagny, when booked a seat in the Paris-Stras- an express train crashed at full The deficit of £94,084,787 compares bourg express, and was extremely speed into the rear of a slower with a deficit of £159,516,568 one

CATHOLIC YOUNG MEN.

LARGE GATHERING PRESENT AT ANNUAL DINNER

Prior to dinner, a film was There were 130 present including screened depiciting the recent pil-

Three magnificent wreaths, one the greetings of Mr. Boomer- spoke in Chinese, of the activities from the Government, one from the Johnson and Major H. B. L. Dow- of the Club, which was now in its I tenth year. During the past two Minister of Marine, and one from the Railway Company whose trains wright Gray of H.M.S. "Falmouth" and was followed by "The Ladies" not only confined to members but proposed by Mr. W. H. Smith, proposed by Mr. W. H. Smith, secretary of the Home, who made secretary of the Home, who made secretary of the Home, who made secretary of the work of special reference to the work of the secretary of the Home, who made the Home, who made secretary of t

Further deaths increased the after a voto of thanks had been always good to be optimistic, and umber of fatalities to 203 to-day, accorded the secretary, the com- to have survived ten years was a pany joined in singing old time proud achievement for the Club. favourities and took part in the The great essential, he added was

Father Gallagher also strongly

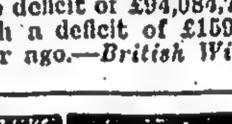
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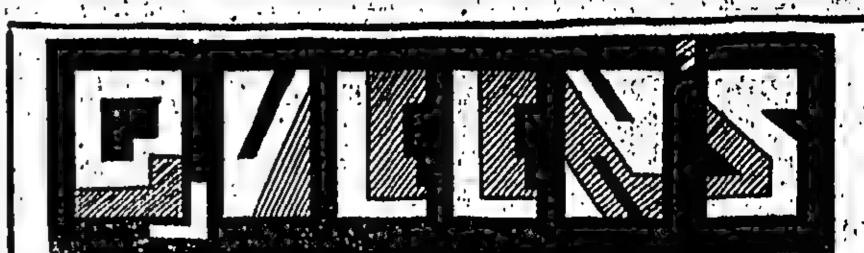
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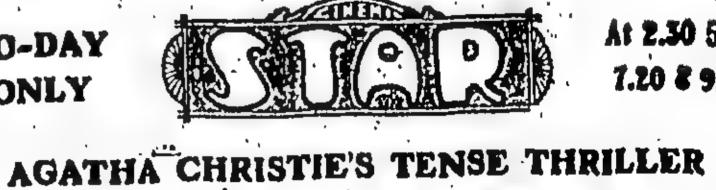
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Thirty-Eight Degrees Below Zero in Minnesota

XIXTH ARMY ATTACK ONCHIENOW

HEAVY FIGHTING PROCEEDING .

FALL DENIED

FOREIGN AIR RAID REPRESENTATION

- Shanghai, Dec. 28.

The Japanese and American Consuls-General at Nanking have been instructed by their respective Governments to call the attention of the Nanking Government to the danger of their nationals at Foochow and Changehow being involved in the bombing by the Nanking 'planes.

The Nanking Government has ordered the exercise of care in air raids on the rebels.

The Japanese and American authorities admit that neither foreign casualties nor damage of foreign property has occurred .-Gentral News.

Hangchow, Dec. 28. According to a report by an Pingyang.—Central News.

CAMPAIGN TO BEGIN?

National Government will formal- Indian tariff. ly.order a general offensive against the Fukien rebely within three The Kobe and Ozaka merchants

have been given by Marshal giving as examples, the duty on Chiang Kai-shek during a secret visit to Hangehow last week; and tea-sets of 550 per cent, and that it is understood that arrangements on knitted goods varying from fifty have been made for the army, to 230 per cent. navy and air forces to commence attacks simultaneously early next

and Fukien vanguards are taking ready in transit.-Renter. place in northern Fukien and castern Chekiang.

Nanking reports that the Nine-teenth Route Army forces at EXCHANGE SURTAX Yenping are falling back on Foochow and Changehow have been discounted. The intentions of Liu Woo-ting.

ful, with both Nanking and Fuklen claiming his allegiance.

FALL OF CHIEN-OW DENIED.

Hangchow, Dec. 28. that Chien-Ow, in Northern | conversations shall be initiated as Fukien, in the vicinity of which heavy fighting is going on, has been enptured by the Nineteenth Route Army, is denied in a Those conversal and the commercial tries. military communique issued this morning. . It states that up free of any danger of falling into press, as from January 1st, . the present the city of Chien-Ow the hands of the rebels .- Central

"NORTH CHINA" SOCIETY

ORGANISATION IN JAPAN

Tokyo, Dec. 28.

Significance is attached to a newly formed organisation in Japan, which is called "North the Pacific to the south-east of China Society." The organisa- Japan, and another appears to be tion, which is promoted by a num- developing over North China. ber of leading Japanese politicians depression is moving eastward including Mr. Yoshizawa, formerly across Korea. Local forecast:-Minister to China, General Araki, N. E. winds, moderate; cloudy Mr. Hirota and a score of in- with drizzle or mist, probably dustrialists and financiers, was improving. inaugurated on Tuesday. The fact that Japan has deep interest in the economic and political condition of place in the near future of Mr. David Leicester North China is their announced McLellan, schoolmaster of King's Cardiff, College, and Miss Winifred Henderson, Newport society.-Central News.

CAPE RECORD

Final Trials of Croydon

London, Dec. 27. An Indian airman, Mr. Man Mohan Singh, who is chief pilot to the Maharaja of Patiala, is awaiting favourable weather to start on an attempt to beat Mrs. Mollison's record in a flight

to Cape Town. His machine which has a range of about 1,200 miles and a cruising speed of 125 miles hourly is at Croydon undergoing final adjustments.—British Wircless.

APAN UP ARMS

INDIA TARIFF PROTEST

PROHIBITIVE DUTIES

Tokyo, Dec. 28:.

The Kohe Chamber of Comturned from northern Fukien, merce to-day passed a resolution major fighting is in progress in jurging the Government to break the area between Chien-Ow and off the negotiations at the Chienyang. Numerous rebel off the negotiations at troops are moving towards Delhi Conference and to with- CHASE BANK ACCEPTS draw the Japanese delegates.

The attitude of the Chamber is Hangehow, Dec. 28. | based upon what is regarded as It is now predicted that the the prohibitive nature of the new

have drawn the Government's at-Instructions are reported to tention to the prohibitive rates

The Government is very annoyed and perturbed as the new Skirmishes between Nanking tariff is applicable to goods al-

BE SUPPRESSED

in northern Fukien, remain doubt- Anglo-French Commercial Renter. Negotiations

London, Dec. 27. The French and United Kingdom The report from rebel quarters Governments have agreed that

> rendered possible by the decision of the French Government to supad valorem hitherto levied on British goods on their importation Force stations in Egypt.

into France. A Bill authorising the reducbefore the French Parliament that they will press on with the measure,-British Worcless.

BETTER WEATHER

The anticyclone has moved into

The wedding is announced to take Bristol of 7, Waverly Terrace, Kowloon,

STOCK MARKET SCANDALS

SEQUEL TO RECENT INQUIRY

NEW LISTING REQUIREMENTS

New York, Dec. 27. Drastic changes in the listing requirements of the New York Stock Exchange have been announced, coming into operation in the New Year.

They are designed to prevent corporations from influencing the market value of their own shares by concented operations on the

The provisions include, firstly, that all companies must, after January 31, 1934, make monthly statements of the amounts of their own shares which they have pur-

recondly, that all companies must, after December 31, 1933, disclose all existing options on their own securities.

thirdly, after December 31, 1933, the Stock Exchange Committee will investigate the circumstances surrounding the issue, of now securities to provent a concentrated holding from being inequitably distributed,—Renter.

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Scheme Similar to the National City Bank

New York, Dec. 27. The Directors of the Chase National Bank have approved the issue of fifty million dollars worth of five per cent, preferred stock and at the same time, to reduce the common stock from \$148,000,-

000 to \$100,027,000. The new preferred stock will first be offered to the common stockholders on a pro rata basis, after which the Reconstruction Finance Corporation has agreed to purchase the stock not taken up by the common stockholders.

After the changes -have been effected, the Bank will have a surplus of fifty million dollars and undivided profits of approximately nine million dollars.-

AIR MINISTER'S TOUR

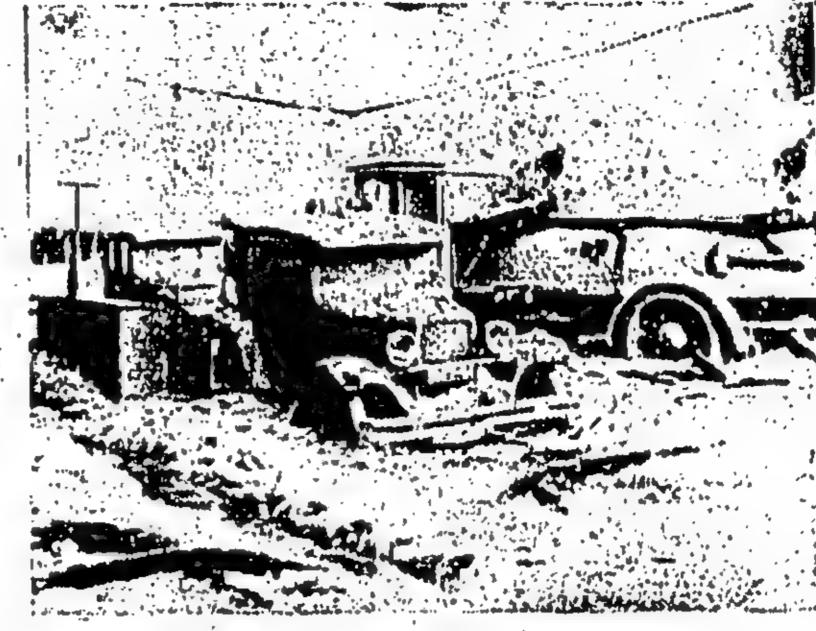
TO COVER 16,000. MILES

London, Dec. 27. Lord Londonderry, Secretary for mentary Recess in a 16,000-mile air tour of units of the Royal Air Force overseas, has completed the inspection of a number of Air

He continued his journey from Cairo this morning, flying in a per cent has already been laid service aeroplane, proceeding via toum, where the No. 47 Bomber and the French Government have Squadron is stationed. Later, he assured His Majesty's Government will visit Trans-Jordan and many centres in India. - British Wircless.

KEEN TUSSLES IN HOME RUGGER

A NEWPORT JUST BEAT ABERAVON Londona Doc. 27.



When it's cold in the United States, it is cold. Photo shows two vehicles frozen solidly to the ground.

CARS FROZEN GROUND

RAGES IN DISTRICT

COLDEST WEATHER FOR TWENTY YEARS

New York, Dec. 28.

With practically the whole of the United States shivering in the coldest weather experienced generally for twenty years, remarkable scenes witnessing to the intensity of the cold are providing thrills and spills.

Where the roads are not feet deep in snow they are frozen over and like glass, being practically unnegotiable.

Many motorists who attempted to defy the wintry conditions and thought to battle their way through a blizzard which struck the New York district last night were compelled to abandon their cars, after sliding about the roads, a danger to themselves and other traffic.

This morning, when they visited their deserted cars to make a fresh venture, they found them at the kerbsides immovably frozen to the ground!

Heavy falls of snow have ing recorded there. occurred all over the country It is nine degrees below and intensely cold conditions zero in the heart of Chicago. prevail everywhere. The Over thirty thousand New thermometer in Minnesota, Yorkers were engaged to upon defendant drew out a addressed by the King to the Prefor instance, is registered day in the task of snowthirty-eight degrees below shovelling in the city streets. with it. Witness then caught Monsieur Le President, to hear zero, and Wisconsin is In the country, roads are hold of the chopper and struggled that the railway accident which

scarcely any better off, practically impassable owing Lord Londonderry, Secretary for thirty-one degrees below be- to the snowdrifts.—Reuter. Shing On Street in response to grievous suffering. I would ask.

ASIA PEACE AND HARMONY ARMY

CHARHAR REVOLT INSPIRED?

the troubles in Charhar earlier mony Army"

looting of Chilicheng.

At present it is not certain the wound in his arm. with the object of reaching the chopper. Luantung area, or whether they Mr. Hamilton:-Then you were are breaking in a westerly direct resisting arrest. tion for the purpose of gaining a footing on the border of Hopei. .

MOVING SWIFTY.

Unofficial reports state that Liu Kwel-tang has already crossed the rallway at Huallal which, if true, indicates that he is moving swiftly. Further nows of his move-day, the Throaties had to rest An official communique states mente is being awaited with deep content with one point from their

B Aberayon 6 The communique adds that Isla Street, Talpo Market. ____ from 22 unmes. ___ Relief.

THE SILVER PUZZLE

INCREASED PRODUCTION FEARED IN LONDON

WITH PRICE RISE HOPE SCOUTED

Ottawa, Dec. 27.
President Roosevelt's silver policy and the expectation that the Canadian Parliament, in the coming session, will also ratify the London Silver Agreement, is likely to lead to renewed activity in the Canadian silver mines.

There has been a considerable sinckening off in the inst year or two, as shown by the fact that the output has dropped from twentysix million ounces in 1930 to The fall has been due entirely to the low price provailing and any suggestion of a rise is likely to be followed by a speeding-up of production.

An important new silver-mining camp is now rising on the eastern shore of Great Bear Lake.

LONDON FEARS.

London Inanciers fear that President Roosevelt's policy will unless other action is taken possibly bimetallism, for which silver coinage by European countries to its pre-war fineness .- 203.

(The logic of comments on the result; yet there is a fear of overproduction).

CONSTABLE HIT

MAN WHO RESISTED ARREST

about with choppers in the street," introduce emergency legislation. remarked Mr. Hamilton, at the Central Magistracy this morning, when he passed sentence of two Kan, unemployed, charged with the mourning victims were unable months' hard labour on Tsang assaulting Chamba Singh, an funeral oration was delivered. Street, Shaukiwan, Defendant was also fined \$10 or fourteen Public Works, promised an imparlawful possession of 60 cattles of desire of France that all the rewild tree branches.

The constable said he saw the defendant in Shing On Street carrying two bundles of firewood. He went up to arrest him, where- The following telegram has been and struck him on the left arm am very distressed and shocked,

whistles, and saw the constable you, Monsieur Le President, to acand defendant struggling on the cept on behalf of the French Namassacred many people during the ground. On the way to the tion an expression of my heartfelt station, the constable showed him sympathy at the terrible disaster

south-west with the intention of coived the wound when they were Wireless and Reuter. entering the demilitarized zone, struggling for possession of the

POINT ANOTHER FOR WEDNESDAY

London, Dec. 27. Playing at West Bromwich to-

notted onco. The Wednesday who took five London Dec. 27.

Some keen rugger was witnessed in England to-day, the results
being:

Bristol

7 London Weish 4

Berbarians

10 Power', as commander of the Peace and HarCardin.

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GOETHE MEDAL FOR BRITON

President Hindenburg's Award -

London, Dec. 27. A Berlin report states that President Von Hindenburg has awarded the Goetha Medal to Mr. Campbell Dodgson, for twenty years Keeper of Prints and Drawings at the British Museum, in recognition of his research in connexion with the engravings of Albrecht Durer. - British Wireless.

LAGNY DISASTER AGITATION

eighteen million ounces last year. END OF WOODEN COACHES

GOVERNMENT'S ASSURANCE

Paris, Dec. 27.

Public opinion has been lead to over-production of silver profoundly stirred by, the magnitude of the Lagny exthe American silver States are press disaster, the death-roll, pressing, or the restoration of in which has now mounted to

A demand is now being made for effects of the Roosevelt policy is immediate steps to prevent a redifficult to follow. On the one petition of such a catastrophe, hand, it is considered unlikely among the measures of safety that a rise in world price will urged being the substitution of steel coaches for wooden carriages.

There is not the slightest doubt that the terrible tell of life was largely due to the fact that the express tore its way through six WITH CHOPPER wooden conches. Steel conches would have resisted the shock and minimised the disaster.

EMERGENCY LEGISLATION.

It has, in fact, been announced "You cannot knock policemen that the Government will shortly

There were moving scenes at the memorial service for the victims at the Gare de l'Est. Many among to restrain their feelings when the

M. Paganon, the Minister of days on another charge of un- tial inquiry and said it was the sources of science should be placed at the service of safety.

THE KING'S MESSAGE.

Christmas, resulted in such a Sergeant Moss said he ran into heavy loss of life and so much which has cast its shadow over whether his forces are moving Defendant said complainant re- the Christmas Senson."-British

INSULL FIGHTS REMOVAL DECREE

FILES APPEAL IN STATE COUNCIL

Athans, Doc. 24.

Mr. Bamuel Insult, the American that Liu Kwel-tang, the former interest, in view of the present second holiday match with banker, implicated in the Insulination in Charles. Renter. Shoffeld Wednesday, Each side case has find an appeal with the banker, implicated in the Insult Grook State Council against the



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Glittering Jewellery Ensembles Give Formal Costumes Colour and Charm

By Joan Savoy

The whole basic idea of accesscries this winter is sound as can be. They all presuppose at least one goodlooking daytime outfit that will stand by you through stormy weather, and one evening ensemble that has excellent line and flattering colour,

Granted that, then all you have to do la to assemble accessories that change your appearance to sult your

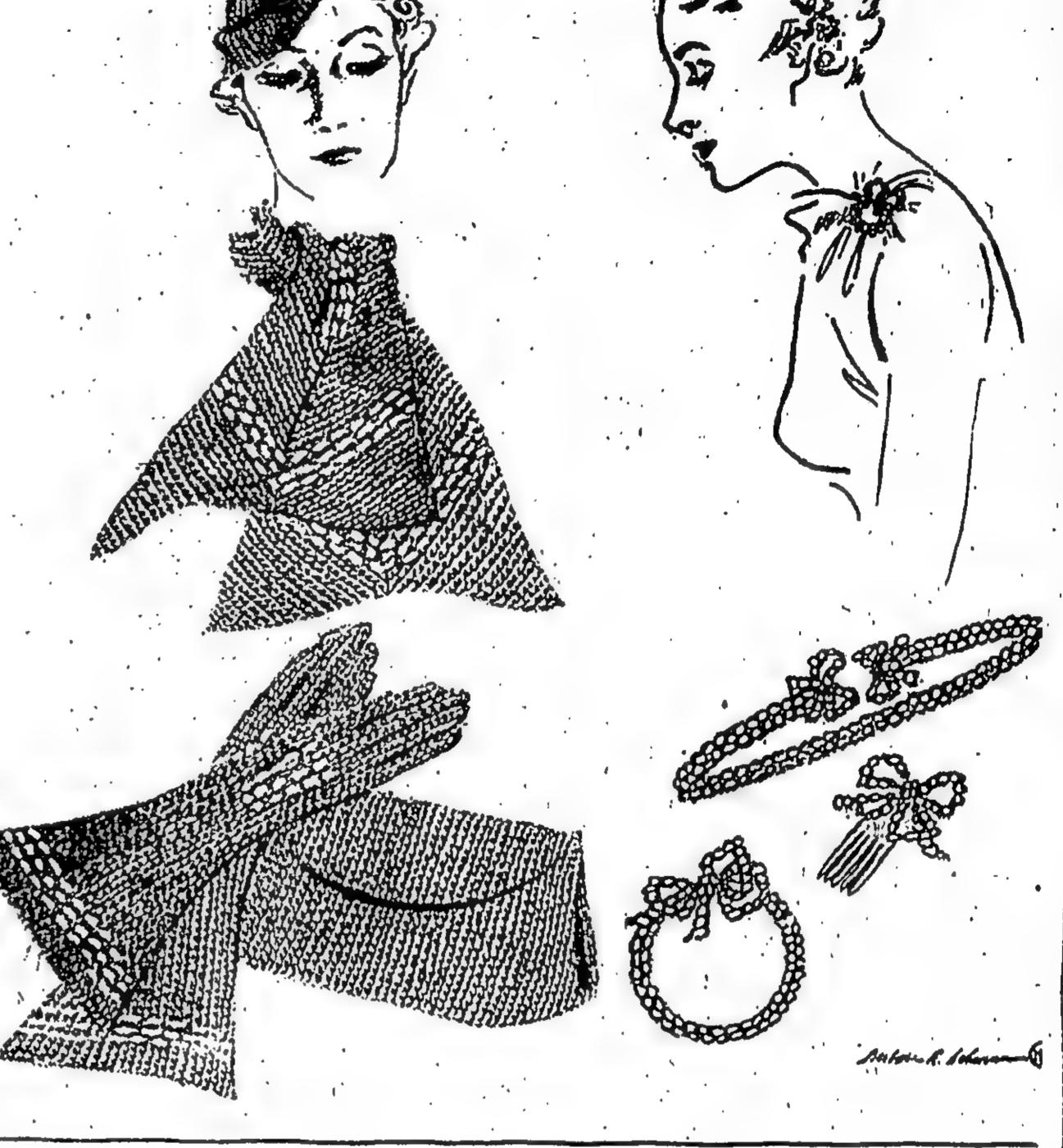
If you are making a list of these pick-me-ups that will make your heart sing, then for daytime list the following and pick what you want: Velvet or sateen blouses in brilliant colour or plaid or sleeveless waistcoats to wear over sombre dresses; a huge brooch; a novelty set of beret, cravat, gloves and purse, preferably in novelty fabric too; a crazy hat with scarf to go with it; a huge, bulky metal clip with a big bracelet to match; some brown suede high-laced. oxfords with gauntlets; Tyrolean brimmed hat and purse to match; or a handsome fur cape or collarette and a perky, diminutive velvet hat the same colour.

If it's evening that is bothering you, then by all means get a fow of the following accessories to make you a now woman: A glittering jewellery ensemble that does things to your of evening gloves, and shoulder, neckline or waint ornament to match, perhaps with feathers sprouting; a shirred lastex velvet blouse for your dinner suit (they call them evening "sweaters" in Paris); a net and velvet taxi and theatre hat, with velvet gloves trimmed in the net and purse to match; some mirror-trimmed alippers and evening scarf to match; or some brilliant or delicately pastel open-shanked evening slippers and a huge matching evening hanky, edged with matching ostrich.

Perhaps of all the exciting new daytime accessories, those that include a hat are the most important, Women just do strut with a new hat on! One of the newest "sets" has an exaggerated, beret, Ascot scarf, gauntlets and purse in the new rich dark shades, wine, purple, rust and browns. They are a ribbed wool nevelty fabric, roughish and snappy, and white detail work gives interest in a running design. Just try this set on a winter dress and confl

weman than putting on a new dress. That's why a bit of sparkle livens wing designs or bow-knots that are home from school. sentimentally called "lovers' knots" now. One evening ensemble that goes! hair over the ears, has a bracele with double rows of rhinestone encircling the wrist, and two bows for the top and an open ircle pin for the high neckline that shows the material of your dress, and has a big bow of brilliants at the top of it. .

It is becoming a winter that chal- home. longes a lady's individual charm. Accessories can do a whole lot to build you up. Just pick the right



YOUR CHILDREN.

Children Must Learn -Mother's Rights

By Olive Roberts Barton

I do not think it a breach of the dullest head. New little brilliant duty for the queen of queens to hair combs or clips come in angel be away when the children come

for bows in a big way has two tiny dreds of mothers hold this up as sary. Just to know she is there, things we treasure and keep forcombs of the sparklers, to hold the a proof of devotion. "I have If they are lonely she might even ever in our hearts. She who pernever been away once when Bobby do to stay with and talk to. If petually sets this minute aside is came in and yelled 'Hello!' I there is anything they need, any missing a valuable opportunity to wouldn't disappoint him for any- permission to get, the oracle of enrich the lives of both of them. thing on earth. After being away all love is there to speak. all day at school, I think it is as little as a mother can do to be on hand to greet her child, hungry for her after a day away from-

Children Seek Other Company

It is usually with a certain com-

And I am afraid that with a cer- mother to be absent day after day Omega of everything.

If we go on a little tour of exploration any week day after damage too. It is necessary for school, we shall probably find a child to feel that he count four-fifths of the children im- enough with his mother for her Should a mother be at home mediately seeking other company to anticipate his home-coming when the children come from or other places to play, the minute with pleasure. school? Is it a breach of duty after they have discovered "Mom!" For evening, doing interesting for her to be absent when little to be at home. Many of them things to your hair does more for a voices call, "are you home, Mom?" once satisfied that she is conveniistairs to see her.

There isn't any doubt that chil- should remain forever a prisoner dren like to have mother handy either to the child's selfish love or for pretty selfish reasons usually, her own selfish (yes) devotion. We want our loved ones on de- It is better for him to learn to

Attitude of Mothers

placency that mothers say this, site is desirable either-for a disputed.

tain few it spells the Alpha and on this business and that when the children utter their call.

In its way this is likely to do

I hold no brief for the lady who

habitually puts her shopping, her club or her bridge ahead of her ent if needed, don't even go up- little boy's or girl's arrival after school. The mother waiting at She is there, the figurehead of the door, or her instant answer to comfort, the person to whom they his shout are things that will rematter more than any one else on main in memory long years after In my life I have heard hun- earth. That is all that is neces- she is gone-one of the sweet

> Yet there is no reason why she concede his mother's privilege to for coughs, sore throat, colds, and be given when necresary and to bronchial troubles generally. Rebe away when necessary, and to learn early in life that his It does not follow that the oppo- mother's rights must never

DR. BASTO RE-ELECTED

ONLY NOMINATION FOR THE SANITARY BOARD SEAT

The stipulated period for the lodging of nominations for the Unofficial neat upon the Sanitary Board clapsed yesterday. There was only one nomination registered, that being of Dr. R. A. do Castro Basto, M.D., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.O.M.S. (London)., who is therefore automatically-re-elected and will resume his seat as a member of the Sanitary Board. He was proposed by the Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga and seconded by Prof. K. H.

Dr. Basto recently returned from a year's holiday in Europe, where he has been visiting the clinics in Germany and Switzerland, and has just succeeded in obtaining the M. D, degree from the University of Lausanne." He graduated from the University of Hongkong in 1921, and after a distinguished career as a student, during which he succeed-ed in winning the Scholarship in Anatomy, and the Ho Tung Scholarship in Clinical Surgery, was appointed House Surgeon in the Government Civil Hospital. After holding this appointment he left for Europe, and joining the London Hospital he passed the examination of the Conjoint Board of Royal Colleges of Surgeons and Physicians. He then took up a number of posts in the various special hospitals in London, and was appointed Assistant Medical Officer in charge of the surgical wards at the St. James' Hospital, Balham, London.

Later, Dr. Basto began to specialise in diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, and served as Senior Clinical Assistant at the Royal London Ophthalmic Hospital (Moorfields), the Western Ophthalmic Hospital and the Central London Ear, Nose, and Throat Hos-

He is well known in the Colony, and has been serving as a member of the Sanitary Board for the last three years.

LAND SALES.

MOUNT CAMERON SITE SOLD TO CREDIT FONCIER

At a sale of Crown lands at the Public Works Department offices yesterday, the Credit Foncier d'Extreme Orient bought a site measuring 100 ft. square on Mount Cameron, for the purpose of building

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The site is to be formed by cutting into the hillside above Cameron Road,

and has been registered as Rural Building Lot No. 375. The Company were the only bidders. securing the property at the upset

price of \$1,700. Tokwawan Site.

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Ha Houng Road and Lok Shan Road, with an area of 1,984 sq. ft. It was purchased for \$1,488 by a Chinese company, of which Mr. Chan Kam-on, of No. 72, Princo Edward Road, was the representative.

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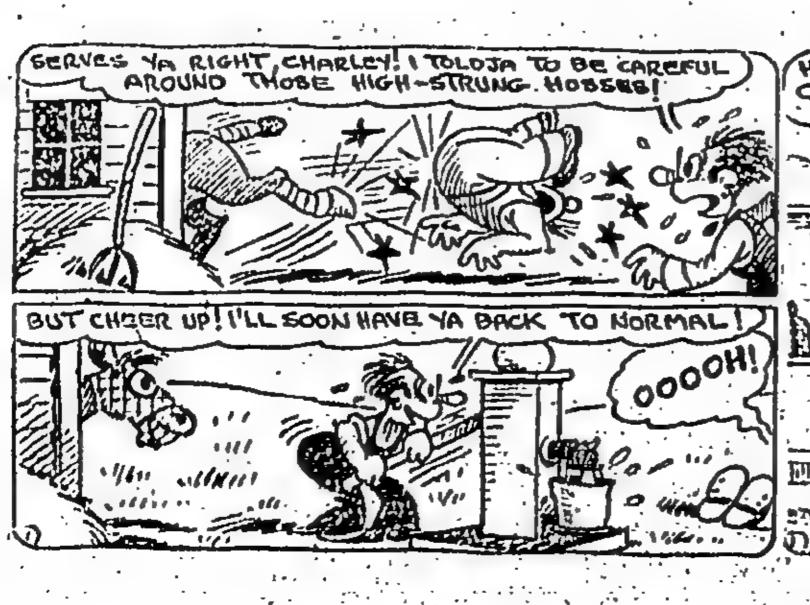






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THE UNKNOWN BLONDE

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'Has Miss France come down?"

You , go tell hor that dinner's.

He went into the living room.

Bannister didn't speak for an

instant. He stood looking at this

strangely transformed Juliot

the throat. Always before he had

"Good evening," he said. "My

light and delicately flavoured that

that Kate had herself baked to go

know when I've seen such food!

And every mouthful is just as good

quite recently.

Juliet France murmured, "I don't

The girl looked up from the

magazine in her lap and smiled.

"Good evening," she said,

CHAPTER XXIX

had reached the Evening Post Office ing out on some wild and fruitless by telegraph. Parrott had been picked up by St. Louis police and was being held there. Already Captain McNeal had announced he would send a man to bring Parrott back to Tremont. The detective train was leaving on a night train. he had spent 'trying to solve it Parrott was wanted, McNeal said, had gone for nothing. for questioning concorning the Tracy King murder and "another serious offence."

Austin, the assistant city editor. The report that had come on the teletype - machine was nothing was better. Yes, that would do. more than a few lines saying Parrott was being held until instructions were received from officials in Tremont.

stamping ground!" Bannister ex- sat down on the edge of the desk. was in some kind of a mix-up in once more, that he had intended St. Louis last winters Arrested or doing Juliet France a favour by ner is ready."

this celebrated writer as he would task Bannister had set for himself. have to a reporter. After all, Living here, unaware that anyone Austin was only an assistant city was watching her, she could be sure the masterpiece. A pudding so editor, and a young one.

"What's McNeal mean by this other 'serious offence'?" he asked, "The boys couldn't get him to say girl evidently had accepted anything more about it."

"Don't know," he said. "McNeal's was an old friend, a girl he had got something up his sleeve. I've known in New York. He had hapbeen sure of that for a long while, pened to meet her, had discovered But he won't show his hand. You that she was remaining in Tremont know McNeal wasn't sure Al Dru- for a few days until she had news gan's death was just an accident, about a job she had applied for, He told me so. Maybe he thinks and felt it was no more than

in his bedroom, tying his necktie And he was aware of all her and then retying it. Bannister trickery now! She wouldn't fool reflected this was the first evening him as she had before. in many that he had bothered to |. But there was no time then to dress for dinner. 'It was, as a talk. Bannister went down stairs matter of fact, the first evening in and met his aunt in the hallway. the week he had spont at home. "Oh, there you are, David!"

very much alike. He spent them to call you. Everything's ready as it looks, too." at the newspaper office, at police to put on the table." The news of Joe Parrott's arrest headquarters, now and then launch-

> Bannister studied himself in the mirror, frowned and grasped the ends of the offending necktic. pulled them loose and for the third time knotted them again. That He turned away from the mirror walked to the window. It was dark

outside. Time to go down stairs. Still Bannister lingered. Ho picked up a paper knife "So he went back to his old toyed with it and put it aside. He "McNeal told me Parrott It wasn't, he assured himself

indicted-I've forgotten; I believe bringing her to- his aunt's home. had done it. She was here because as usual when it came to cooking, won't take me any time at all." "I'll have Gainey check up on Bannister believed Captain Henley done herself 'proud. The roast bring himself to assign chores to and finding out her secret was the cious. to give herself away. Bannister had no idea of what it

Bannister was pleased with the way he had handed matters. The was made. There were tiny cakes his story. Aunt Kate, likewise, with the pudding. had shown no signs of doubt. Bannister shook his head. He had told her that Miss France Parrott had something to do with courteous to ask her to stay with them. To all this Aunt Kate had

They talked for half an hour The rest of the task was going longer, mulling over the case, to be more difficult. Bannister Then Bannister left the office, straightened his shoulders, stood took a street car and rode home. up. He'd better go down and As he stood before the mirror have a talk with Miss Juliet France,

Days and evenings, too, had become she exclaimed. "I was just going

LAURA LOU BROOKMAN

"Let me get you another helping," Mrs. Howlett urged. do you good to eat." "Yes, she's in the living room.

"Oh, no!" the girl protested, I couldn't eat another bite. Really couldn't."

They had their coffee and then Kato Hewlett sent the young peopl back to the living room.

"But I want to help with dinhes." Juliet said.

"Frederick will do them." of shimmering, ivory silk, low at man."

scen, her in green. He hadn't . imagined her wearing anything "Frederick will do nothing of the waves do. eise. The glow of the lamp light sort!" she said. "Do you think I'd fell on her hair and he saw that trust 'my china to his clumsy it was really golden. She was still fingers? I'll do them myself!"

"But please!" the girl urged. 'Let me help."

aunt sent me to tell you that din-"Some other time," she said "but evening such as this could be. not to-night. You and David go in The music came to an end then. indicted—I've forgotten: I believe bringing her to make dutte here, of A few minutes later they were by the fire. I'll come as soon as Bannister arose and moved to the course, but that wasn't why he at the table. Kate Hewlett had. I've finished in the kitchen. It piane, "This is a real treat," he

The flames in the fireplace had The girl looked up, smiled. that," Austin said quickly. Austin was right. The girl was the key was beautifully browned, juicy and died away and there was little There was a mischievous light in had read Bannister's novels and to the mystery of the murder. She tender. The vegetables were well more than an edge of crimson on her eyes as she said, "I think, Mr. admired them. He couldn't quite knew more than she had admitted seasoned, the salad crisp and dell- the charred wood. Bannister bus- Bannister, I should tell you that ied himself at the hearth for you aren't deceiving me for a moseveral minutes. But it was the dessert that was

When he turned he saw that the

girl was standing beside the piano, glancing at some music.

"Do you play?" he asked. "A-little."

"I'd like very much to hear you." Her eyes raised to his but he "It'll could not read their glance. Then, without replying, she sat down. touched the keyboard. "I'm rather out of practice," she said.

The notes were vaguely familiar. Bannister had heard them before some where, probably at a concert, but he had never heard them like this-leaning back in a comfortable chair before a fire place. The girl played surely, sweetly. Bannister, listening, thought of the monotonous lapping of ocean waves attainst a sandy beach. The music France. She had put on a blouse nister spoke up. "He's the house was like that, with the melody coming in clear and strong above the waves. No-not waves, of . Kate- .. Hewlett's .. tone - flared, course! But it sounded the way

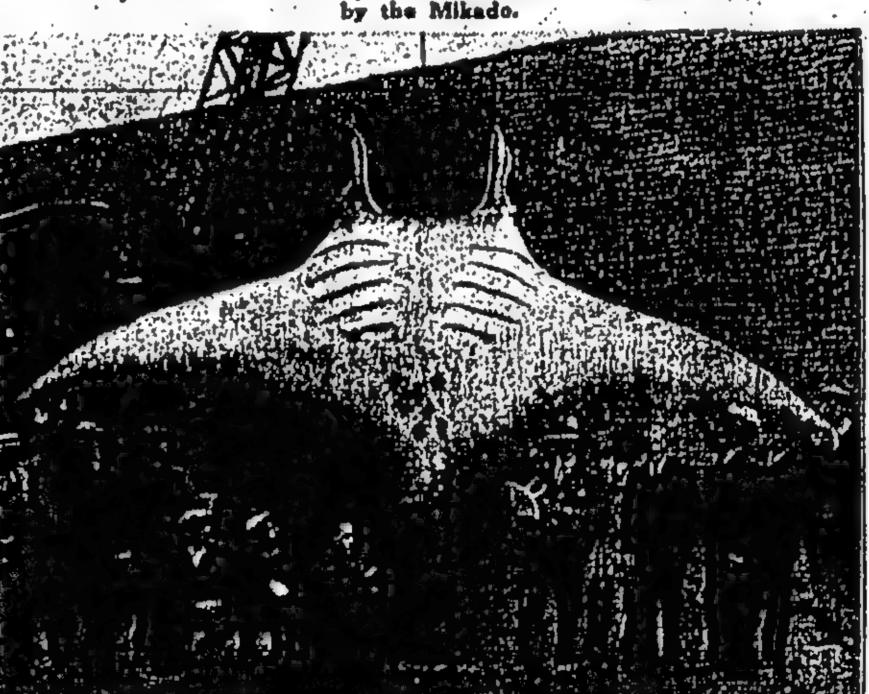
How pleasant all this was-a warm, attractive room, the firelight and the music. Bannister draw on his cigaretto deeply and let the twisted wreath of smoke escape from his lips. Pleasant indeed! He The older woman was firm, had forgotten how agreeable an

said. "Please don't stop yet!"

(To be Continued.)



The Japanese Princess Roika Takeda leaving the Imperial Palace in Tokyo after attending a reception given



A glant devil-fish weighing 5,000 lbs. caught off the New Jersey coast

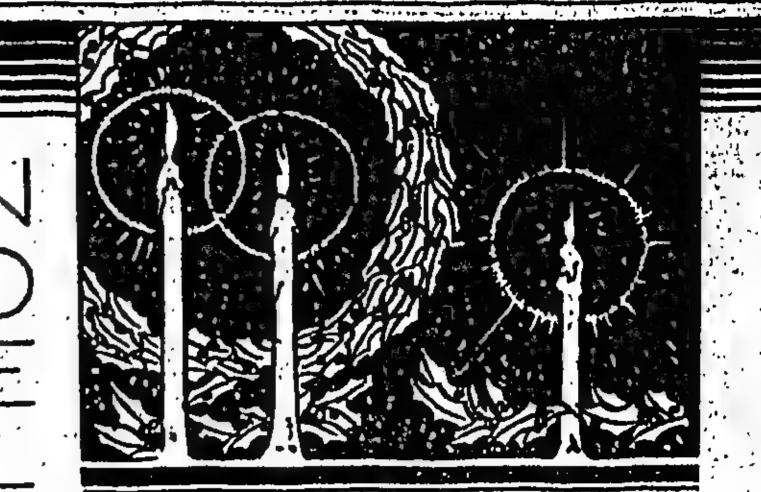




A picture which conjures up memories but has little place in the United States of to-day. According to the Indian Department at Washington, however, the Indians, as a community, are the richest in the world. The balls to which they were driven subsequently were found to be the great oil-land of America;



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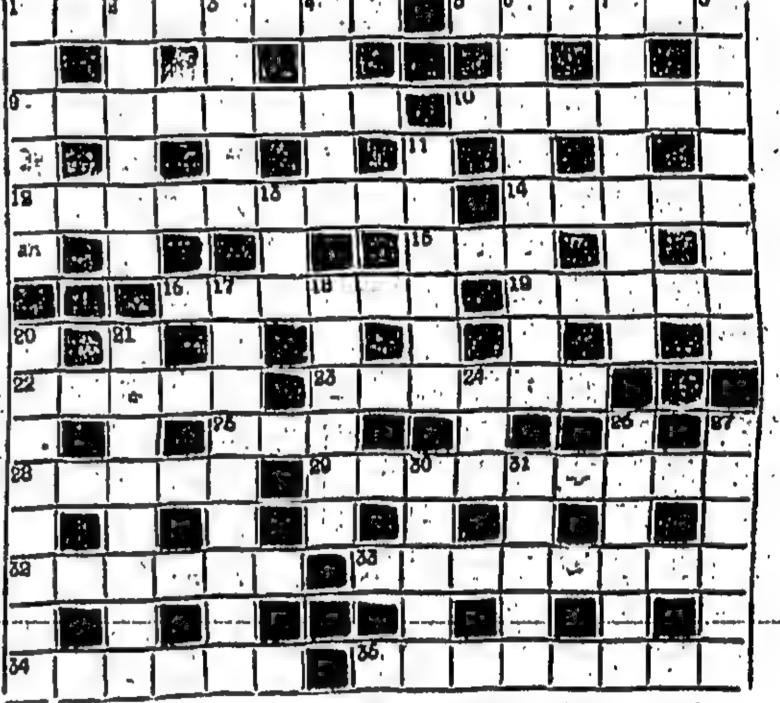
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19 Bird.

muddle.

20 Bearer of tidings. 22 Venerate. 33 There's a fairly long start to

such longing. 34 Puts forward an excuse like an afterthought about metal. 35 Communications of a herb in

I People who live near the line can vouch for the din in this part of it.

3 Varied tales. 4 Miss Heath, perhaps, and you. might any I care for her. 6 Supervision involving a blunder. 7 Possibly temporary embarrass-

(two words).

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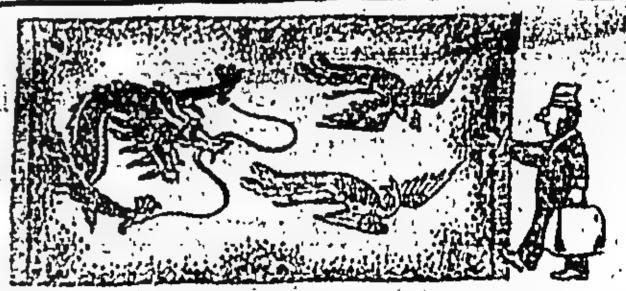
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Mercantile Bank C., £121/2 n. East Asia Bank, \$101 n. Am: O. Finance Corp., Sh. \$20 n. China O. Fin. Ord. Sh.\$4.75 p. China O. Fin. Prof. Sh. \$5 n.

Insurances, Canton Ins., \$300 b. Union Ins., \$590 n. China Underwriters, \$1.65 aa. China Fire, \$525 n. H.K. Fire, Ins., \$260 b. International Assec, Sh. \$5.25 n.

Shipping. Douglas, \$341/2 n. H.K. Steamboats, \$121/2 sa, Indo-Chinas, (Pref.), \$30 n. Indo-Chinas, (Def.). \$35 IL Shells (Bearer) 50/71/2 n. Union Waterboats, \$15 n.

Mining. Antamoks, 83 cts. n. Balatocs, 34 cts. n. Bagulo Gold, 50 cts. n. Banguets, \$36 n. Benguet Exploration, 30 cts. b. Benguet Goldfield, 80 cts, n. Big Wedge, 35 cts. n. Gold Greek, \$9 n. lpo Mining, \$9 n. Itogons, \$71/2 n. Kailans, \$23/3 n. Langkats (Single), \$18 n. S'hai Explorations, Sh. \$4.85 n. S'hai Loans, \$6.65 n.

H.K. Wharves, \$115 b. H.K. Docks, \$161/2 n.
S. China Motors A., \$6 n.
S. China Motors B., \$8 n. Providents (old), \$2.80 n. Providents (new), \$1 n. Hongkews, Sh. \$351 n. New Engineerings, Sh. \$7 n. Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$149 n.

Venz: Goldfields, \$6 n.

Raubs, \$12.80 n.

Cotton Milla Ewo Cottons, \$12.90 b. S'hai Cottons, Sh. \$1171/2 n. Zoong Sings, Sh. \$131/2 n. Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$70 n. Lands, Hotels etc. H. and S. Hotels, \$6.20 b. H.K. Lands, \$701/2 a. S'hai Lands, Sh. \$301/2 n. Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$14 n. Humphreys, \$12 n. H.K. Realties, \$5.75 b.

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Shanghai Shares. Messrs, Carroll Bros., have. received the following cabled tions of Shanghal shares. International Assurances Shanghai Lands Shanghai Docks Shanghai Wharves Shanghai Trams Ewe Cottons Shanghai Cottons Langkats (single) Shanghai Explorations Shanghai Loans

Asia Realties "A" Sh. \$140 n. Asia Realties "B" Sh. \$20 n. Chinese Estates, \$97 n. China Realties, Sh. \$151/2 n. China Debenture, Sh.\$137 n. Public Utilittes.

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Industrials. Malabon Sugars \$15 n. Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. \$21. a. Cald: Macg. (Pref.), \$19½ a. Canton Ices, \$2¾ n. Cements (old), \$3¾ n. Cements (new), \$3% n. H.K. Ropes, \$6% n.

Stores, etc. Dairy Farms, \$28 b. Watsons, \$61/2 b. Der A Wings, \$1 n. Lane Crawfords, \$4.45 n. Mackintosha. \$21 n. Sinceres, \$13.20 n. wm, Powells; \$2.10 n.

THE TECHNIQUE OF TYRANNY .

(Continued from Page 8.)

Roosevelt at this moment with a very sincere pity. He is trying to do with a free Press, an untamed Congress, and opponents threatening to bring him before a Supreme Court what they would tell him can only be done by their methods. Under their system, the proper place for Mr. Al Smith, the directors of the Federal Reserve Bank, or any others who question the infallibility of the White House on currency or any other matter would be the dock or the concentration camp.

Whether "planning" on this vast quota- scale is possible under free institutions is, indeed, one of the 6.25 most interesting questions raised 0.75 by the American experiment. 47.00 Personally I should answer it by 48.25 saying that free institutions are 13.10 the one guarantee that "planning" 118.00 will not do wholesnle mischief and 17.60 that Mr. Roosevelt will succeed in 4.45 proportion as he learns. From his 6.70 critics and steers his course accordingly.

But this is not the view of our Socialist and Fascist theorists. They all have in their minds the idea of governing "by decree" and treating a dumb public as the raw material of their experiments. They are all, as their writings show, careful students of the types of dictatorship which there types of dictatorship which they favour.

I do not think we are in any serious danger of submitting ourselves to these experiments, but it is important that we should see how they operate and where they

The technique of modern tyranny is no blind arbitrary thing. It has been carefully thought

out to the last detail, and its development becomes a logical necessity when the first step has been taken.

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Macao "Greyhounds," \$2 n.
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DEATH.

AM WOO .- On Wednesday, Decemher 27, 1938, at his residence No. 1. Tramway Path, Lam Woo, aged 03 years. The funeral will take place to-morrow, leaving th house at 2 p.m. for the Chinese Christian Cemetery, Pokfulam.

The -Qjongkong Eelegraph.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1933.

WAR-MONGERS

It would be a sorry thing for

the Church if all clergymen were

of the same way of thinking as

the Rev. J. R. C. Forrest, Vicar

Swanbourne, who recently denounced pacifist utterances in an address which might well have come from some retired, sabre-rattling General. Germany, Russia and Japan were tiations justify the course pursued. castigated by this reverend Already duties upon dozens gentleman, all being accused as articles have been lowered in nations with no scruples whatever, so long as they could further their militaristic aims. "Your_children," remarked this militant parson, "will curse your memories and your blindness when they are up against a powerful country like Germany.' Fortunately, the Church does not find much room within its folds for people who indulge in such foolish and ill-considered talk. Apart altogether from this Vicar's incompetency to dis- undoubtedly the repudiation of the of apprehension. course on the policies of other gold clause in its bonds-i.e., paynations, which are better left to ing in a depreciated dollar, even is grim necessity. those qualified to deal with the where the contract contains a Next, the ordinary methods by matter, it is a sorry spectacle to see a professing minister of the Gospel of Peace and Goodwill never did anything like that. sequence. urging his hearers to prepare Holders of sterling obligations, of for war. Surely it is the duty course, suffered from the fall of of the Church and its leaders to sterling; but gold obligations we espouse the cause of concord between nations, not to endeavour to inflame public feelings and to encourage a spirit of distrust and suspicion. There are already enough agencies in the world working in this latter direction. If the horrors of war should ever break out afresh, much of the responsibility will rest on those who talk of its inevitability and who lose no opportunity of unblushingly preaching militarism. Preparedness for reasonable expectations is one thing, but this business of scaring people with the bogey of some A imagined foe waiting to pounce on docile neighbours is quite another. The surest guarantee campaigning against "the article against future war is the crea- known as a baby's comforter or tion of a healthy and well-in- dummy," will have all medical formed public opinion in all countries, in which the Church should play its part. Scare utterances, whether in speech or in written word, are a disservice in use can have two opinions. Unfortunately its deadly character to humanity. Past memories as a carrier of disease germs and should induce in the minds of source of infant mortality, though men an attitude opposed to war not less certain, is far less obviand all that it means. But there ously visible. At Belfast, as are still those who seem to take probably elsewhere, it is found are still those who seem to take a delight in working on man's elemental passions, arousing feelings which were better left dormant. These are the world's worst enemics, and it will be a have votes, that a Bill can be bad day for humanity should carried to coorce them? Shades their influence come to dominate of Mrs. Pankhurst and the Suffrage world affairs.

NOTES OF THE DAY

TRADE BAROMETER

Until a few years ago, who bothered to read the monthly trade figures? Bankers, heads of big businesses, and a few politicians. Sometimes a leaderette drew attention to them in the morning paper, but-usually they were buried in an obscure corner. How different to-day! Employed for unemployed, all watch for trade ravival. The chance to save or extend business, a rise in salary or wage, an opening for boy or ligirl, a rift in the cloud of black daily care-all these in millions of homes, high or humble, hang on the health or disease of commerce, whose symptoms the figures record. In Britain, fortunately, the symptoms indicate a very definite improvement and it would be interesting if it could be discovered exactly to what extent Government policy has been influential. Recently the Washington "Brain Trust" paid a high compliment to Great Britain. The best American brains appear now to have accepted the view that only through bilateral agreebotween two countries working method of spying and counter- new conception of "political together, can economic recovery be secured. Grandioso international schemes are to be set aside. The world is to follow the example of England.

BRITISH AGREEMENTS

realise the value of the agreements already made with Scan- they are expected to play. dinavia, Germany and the Argentine: Few appreciate yet the measure of their success as but clearly we could not negotiate people: at once with everyone. A beginning was made with those countries which in matters of currency and trading interests were most closely allied to us. The Scandinavian countries working on sterling offered the best possibilities. But if we were to bargain we required a bargaining weapon. If we were to ask for concessions we must be prepared to give something in return. Whatever the value of Free Trade, and no-one rated it higher than the President of the Board of Trade, it prevented us from ever offering a quid pro quo. Facing realities we adopted a tariff policy and the results of the trade negotina, Finland, and Iceland. Further negotiations are being undertaken with a similar objective.

COLD BONDS The United States has had little . The opposition must not only be to say concerning the House of defeated; it must be kept down Lord's decision that a British and, having been driven under- Dictators are failing or succeedholder of a foreign gold bond is ground, it has to be met by subentitled to be paid in gold. The terranean methods, black-listing, most far-reaching innovation in espionage, delation, etc., which United States' monetary policy was keep ordinary citizens in a state clause making gold, and not the which men form political judgdollar, the standard of payment. ments being cut off, submission to When Britain "went off gold," we authority is the logical concontinued faithfully to pay in the gold equivalent. And such has hitherto been the practice among all countries of repute. It has been left to the United States to deal by administrative act, and to confirm by a Bill before Congress, a blow at the root of the whole system of international lending. While American banks cellars are still bulging with gold, there is no excuse whatever for it but "political necessity;" and it deprives the Middle West of the last shred of moral right to lecture Europeans about debt defaulting.

COMFORTER

The Medical Superintendent of Health for Belfast, who has been

THE TECHNIQUE OF TYRANNY

By J. A. SPENDER

last fow months with much literature purporting to give the Communist case against the Nazis and the Nazis' case against the Communists.

Ploughing my way through the recitals of frightfulness which each imputes to the other, I come broadly to the conclusion that both practised the same methods and that they borrowed freely from one another.

Both had an elaborately thought out system of secret organisation and propaganda. Both hold that the end justifies all means—the Nazis alleging that Communism is so pestilential that the utmost ruthlessness is required to stamp it out, the Communists that the state of society is so intolerable that any methods are lawful to bring the proletariat to power.

warfare. They work in darkness be banished from his mind. during their periods of prepara- The first duty of the Courts is tion, and practise freely the to uphold the State. Hence the apying upon their own supporters justice" to which the citizen must as well as upon their opponents.

.The most difficult problem for both, as their movement spreads, Justice Macnaghten, requiring the. is to prevent its being betrayed by Home Secretary to produce a docuthe weaker brethren, especially ment in Court, would find himself the "idealists" who have joined in in a concentration camp before the un impulsive moment, and whose day. was out. An independent conscience rebels when they Judicature claiming to be superior It is doubtful if our own people realise the methods which are to his will would be the ruin of being practised and the part which any Dictator, just as for free

For these the "black list" is essential, and their names and photoeconomic policy. From the first graphs are circulated to all branch comes supremely important for days of the National Government organisations with special instruct the Dictator to control schools, it was recognised that recovery tions to watch and track them. A universities and all forms of depended upon the reopening of Nazl publication dwells specially education; and, so far as they oversens markets. Great Britain on the ingenuity of Communists in suggest ideas which run counter trades normally with all the world, dealing with these wavering to his scheme of life, art, science,

The method adopted is to create the impression among his meaning. unsuspecting comrades that it is really a question of low creatures detrimental to the ideal Communist movement. This refined method of employing semi-official disparagement and denunciation is indubitably one of the most dangerous weapons used by Bolshevism in the fight for power.

The large number of accusations with other citizens. of this kind made by Nazis since they came to power against opponents or doubtfuls, whose char- to speak, in a vacuum, the Dictator acter was supposed to be beyond is now free to pursue his plans, and Brandy. Fo chan Kill reproach, can hardly fail to sug-schemes without any of the dis-Not half, I don't think. Shiu Denmark, Norway, Sweden, Argen- gest that they, too, have practised turbing criticisms and reactions this "rofined" technique.

> When finally the victory is won and a Dictatorship of one colour about it, and his opponents and or another is established, there can critics may be put on trial for be no negotiated peace.

This is no more arbitrariness, it

The Dictator's will must be law, and he must be invested with semi-divine attributes. His position requires that he shall be considered as infallible in the secular as the Pope is by the disgusting. faithful in the religious sphere.

Everything must be put under his

feet-law, religion, freedom of the

Press, freedom of speech, even

freedom of talk. Let any of these forces loose and his position immediately becomes precarious.

a free Press, and free organisation, but-what strikes even deeper into the roots of a free society—a new conception of law and justice. Government hence- Wells' Cantonese lessons over the Courts to defend his liberties language. There is no chivalry in their arbitrary acts of his rulers must less intelligent readers we have

conform. Under any Dictatorship, Mr. States it is the chief bulwark of

Having captured justice, it beand even that disturbing, emotional thing, music. His suspicion of vilify the politically unreliable all these movements of the free member personally, to reproach spirit may help us to realise that him with some kind of swindle the common phrase, "liberal or corruption and thus to education," has a deep, practical

> In the world of the Dictator a "liberal education" must go the way of other liberal institutions. Religion, too, is a possible enemy, and that also must be brought under control.

To the Dictator everything is politics, and there is no neutral ground on which the citizen is free to pursue ideas in common

Having established himself, so Whisky. Fo shui KK which pursue even the most benevolent in a free society.

If he fails nothing must be said sabotage, and be lucky if the escape with their lives. The rest of us can never say whether the ing with their plans. We only know that they claim (as they must) to be succeeding.

But since they have all their opponents and critics at their mercy and never let us know their casualties we are reduced to guessing.

I can imagine that the other Dictators are watching President



The Very Idea !

CANTON MORE FAR. By Edward Kelly, Linguist.

THE way some of these Chinese people in Hongkong cannot understand good English is positively

We give you an instance.

The other day we went into a Chinese compradore's shop to purchase six bottles of cod liver oil to help us over the Christmas holiday.

We argued with the Compra-This requires not merely the dore for over half an hour, but suppression of free-Parliaments; could not get him to understand that we wanted to sign a chit for this whis———the oil. Anyway, we listened in to Mr.

forth is by decree, and the idea of | ZBW the other day, and since the citizen being able to appeal to then have become proficient in the or to protect himself from the In order to assist some of our

compiled a vocabulary of the phrases they may be expected to use in everyday conversation.

Besides, it gives us a chance to get our own back on the Editor, who doesn't know what we've said in the vernacular half of our interpretation.

House boys with clear consciences should not be asked by inquisitive readers to translate the Chinese vocabulary that

And, in conclusion, let this be lesson to you.

CANTONESE MADE EASY.

Who do you think you're shoving? Mei tui 咪拉.

Come again at the end of the month. Shau ngan y'in chun has tan yim 收銀人其討脈

Buzz off. Cho fung sing 遊蜂孽 Don't mind if I do. Ngoh cho ho yeom h 我造可以野。

Maskee. Pei kui chuk 由但拆

Dear Sir, Your account is now. Winnei yru peichin 吸你要异钱 Shroff. Kung tik tai yat 公政

Cause of death is unknown. Kur crung chautuk shi 恒中酒群死 Strike me pink. Tak nyoh hau

pin 四双接便

kwoh yet poon nuch, mo she shoung 小過一半我有思想 She was only a farmer's daughter,

Kor-kuh nus chi-t kui-ke yeung chuny 個個女子知佢嘅洋殼

Your charges are too high. Chak 101 依個賊仔 I haven't touched a drop. Kong

tani wah / 清大語 Is my face red? Ngoh-ke min ho chi y m hou loi mo? 现帐面好

似伙酒來聲 The wife. Ngoh-ke tao tung

The girl friend. Nyoh-ke kwaan 双個數

My husband. Koh-koh laan yan 個個個人

Diary of a Worm .

7.30 p.m.—After keeping guilty secret as long as possible worm boldly informs wife that he has been asked to spend New Year holiday with witty worm friend.

7.31 p.m.—Oh, so worm has decided to desert wife at last, has he? Wife might have known that trencherous worm, after taking best years of her life, would leave wife in lurch. That is all wife could expect from cunning, heartloss worm. Perhaps worm would like to sell up home and kick wife out into streets before he goes. Wife quite willing to go begging so long as selfish worm enjoys exotic. holidays. Wife now so used to sacrificing herself. for worm's sake that she will be glad to pack worm's bag and give him back housekeeping money so that he can buy diamond necklace for hideous blonde who, by pure accident, of course, will no doubt be at same place at same time as sexmad worm.

But if worm thinks he is devastating Clark Gable in ridiculous plus-fours and coloured shirt, he is greatly mistaken. Shamoless blonde, merely, wants, diamond necklace, which rightly belongs to. wife, and will probably blackmail, worm, who will lose job, go to

7.40 p.m.—Worm rings up witty worm friend to put off planned holiday visit.

GENERAL GERMAN APPROVAL

BERNARD SHAW MOCKS

London's favourable comment on the Reichstag fire trial verdict echoes the feeling in Germany where general approval has been given, apari from the Nazi organ Korrespondenz, which says that if the verdict had been pronounced in he had spent his younger days. accordance with the modern national sense of justice, it would have been very different from this plain miscarriage of justice.

An official rebuff was adminisarmed guard and to accompany the three acquitted Bulgarians to the frontier.

Swaythling.

party that the matter was in the hands of the Maister of the Interior and that their presence was unnecessary. They were also lance. assured that the Bulgarians would be safe.

SERENE IMPARTIALITY.

ing the topic of lengthy editorial political campaigns. comments in the German press, which appear to be unanimous on one point, namely, that the verdict affords irrefutable proof of the German Supreme Court's firms, including the Sincere Co., serene impartiality.

According to London dispatches, George Bernard Shaw selzed the opportunity to summarize the reaction of the British nation with the declaration, "No one could have awaited a juster decision" and took the occasion to pour out his famous wit on the "participants of certain mock trials who now find themselves in his wife some months ago. turn amusingly mocked."

CASE OF VAN DER LUBBE.

The death sentence pronounced against Marius Van der Lubbe cannot be changed or commuted by any other court. Nevertheless HEAVY SENTENCES ON the sentence will not be carried out before an appeal for mercy has been submitted to the President Hindenburg, who alone has the constitutional power of saviing Van der Lubbe from the supreme penalty.

Conforming with the stipulations-of the Emergency Law for protection of state and nation. criminals convicted for high treason must be hanged. It is further stated that the preventive arrest of Torgler and the three Bulgarians was ordered by the Supreme Court to protect them from acts of violence.

DISMISSED HOUSE-BOY RETURNS TO STEAL

Arrested in Raid in Yaumati

Formerly employed by Mrs. M. S. Rose, of No. 300 Prince Edward Road, as a house-boy, Chan Yan in the street without a muzzle was charged before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy | Kowloon Magistracy this morning. this morning with larceny of two old rings, a bangle and a silver necklace, valued at altogether

It was stated by Detective Seron the landing of the house by but was caught by the detective." Dr. M. E. Asger, who not knowing who he was, ordered him away, Looking over her belongings, Mrs. Rose later discovered several pieces of jewellery to be missing.

Pleading guilty, defendant was sentenced to six weeks' . hard inbour.

oplum pipe, Tam Tein-ting, formerly \$100 or two months, and a similar different stories. Charged before Mr. 144, Lockhart Road. Chan Yuk, Balfour in the Central Police Court widow, for keeping the third floor of

DEATH OF MR. LAM WOO

WELL-KNOWN LOCAL CONTRACTOR

One of the Colony's oldest and best-known Chinese building contractors in the person of Mr. Lam Woo passed away peacefully last night at his residence, 1 Tramway Path. He had been ailing for the

of Lam Woo & Co., the deceased will gentleman was widely known for carried out in the Colony. He had Signor Mussolini. been in the business for the past 40 years, having established himself as a contractor on his return to Hongkong from Australia where

age and during his long residence in the Colony he became associated with many local establishments have been submitted .. and institutions. He was keenly tered to a party of three British interested in the Anglican Chinese and one Czecho-Slovak, who ar Church and was, one of the in Leipzig to secure on founders of St. Paul's Church as well as the St. Paul's Girls'

party included Ivor besides being a keen supporter of Paris that M. Paul Boncour will Montague, 'the brother of Lord the Chinese Y.M.C.A. he was the The Leipzig police told the College. Some years ago he holiday recess, and will, no doubt, founded a free school in his native district of Sun Wui and contributed a sum of \$40,000 towards its erection and mainten- policy.

friends and Mr. Lam Woo i'requently provided financial support The Leipzig judgment is form- to the late Dr. Sun in his many

> A hard and conscientious worker, the late Mr. Lam was a director of several local Chinese the Bank of Canton, On Lok Yuen, Sam May and the Shanghat Fire Insurance.

and three daughters, all of whom, from St. Moritz, where he is now typhoid cases: It was a disease with the exception of the youngest resting. It is rumoured that which required very strict rest son, are married. The youngest King Carol of Rumania might and strict diet, and occasioned son recently went to America to also arrive in Paris simultaneouscontinue, his studies.

Mr. Lam was pre-deceased by

HIDDEN OPIUM

SMUGGLERS

yesterday at the Po Tak Wharf, Java. and charged before Mr. Hamilton, nt_the_Contral_Magistracy-this morning, by Revenue Officer Grimmitt for possession of hon-Government prepared optima.

EUROPEAN MYSTERY DIPLOMACY

BALKAN VISITS TO PARIS

London, Dec. 27. John Simon, who Founder of the well-known firm arrived in Capri on Sunday, arrive in Rome on the large number of big contracts January 1 to confer with

The problems of disarmament will form an important feature of their talks, but considerable attention is likely to be paid to the A native of Sun Wui, the late Italian demand for the reform Mr. Lam Woo was 63 years of of the League of Nations, regarding which no definite proposals

TOUR POSTPONED.

the official trip planned by M. ing been rather high, ranging be-Paul Boncour to Warsaw and The late Mr. Lam Woo took a Prague will not take place before great interest in education and February. It is announced in treasurer and a director of the attend the Chamber opening typhoid, On November 15 her Lingnam University's Agricultural session on January 9, after the

On January 15, the Foreign The late Mr. Lam Woo and the Minister will attend the meeting tween normal and 99 degrees unlate Dr. Sun Yat-sen were personal of the League Council in Geneva, and on January 21, he is expected to sparticipate in the meeting of the Disarmament Conference Steering Committees

ROYAL VISITS?

Mr. Lam Woo leaves three sons invitation to proceed to Paris ly with M. Titulescu. Mr. Jevitch, Yugo-Slavian Foreign Minister, will, very likely, be naked to meet his French colleagues in Paris, The possibility is not excluded that King Alexander of Yugo-Slavia will arrive in Paris at that time.-Havas.

Two passengers bound for Java fined \$5,000 or one year's imprison-

similar fine was imposed on Li Sing for possession of 150 tack of prepared opium.

of ' prepared opium carefully the inside of the box.

DAY BY BRIEF

Messrs. Mackinnon, Mackenzie Co., local agents, send a copy of the P. & O. S.N. Co.'n 1934 handbook for the Straits, China and Japan.

The annual Christmas tree party will be held at the Polico Recreation Club, Happy Valley, on New Year's mittee. Day, commencing at 2 p.m.

Appearing on behalf of Mr. J. A. Ribeiro, who was summoned for al lowing a white and black dog out

For stealing three yards of silk from 124, Des Voeux Road Central, Mr. Balfour in the Central geant Franklin that defendant left Magistracy this morning. Inspector Mrs. Rose's 'employ on November Brennan said defendant was arrested 30. On December 26, he was seen going into a pawnshop. He bolted

> Believed to be intoxicated, a man missing. named Wong Tong-choi, was sent to the Government Civil Hospital this morning. He was found at 4 a.m. today on a bed in a hut on a hillside

were produced before Mr. Hamilton, ed beyond their ability. at the Central Magistracy, by Sub-Inspector A. V. Baker, this morning. Wong Yee, Widow, was charged in respect of the second floor of No. 3, When arrested in possession of an Stone Nullah Lane, and was, fined

PRIDE HATH NO OTHER GLASS TO | During the four days ended De-SHOW ITSELF BUT PRIDE -Shake- cember 26 one case of typhold (imported) and two cases of meningitis bedding for an instrument but The patient had food at 5.50 a.m. were reported to the local health au- could not find one. He found a and she left the patient about five

> The sixth annual dance of th Hongkong Ladies' Hockey Club will take place at Lane Crawfords restaurant on January 12 at 0 . p.m. Tickets are obtainable from the com-

Those who have not yet seen the when a charity performance will be nothing. given at the Ko Shing Theatre in aid of the New Territories medical December 9, Miss Olga Ribeiro was benevolent work. There will be two performances, at 7 p.m. and 9 p.m. Tickets are \$1 and 60 cents.

> man, to whom three of the chickens sold. Four were still

occupied, Li Chuen, a coolie, was sent about the decensed. She hever came when Doctor Nowton arrive to prison for one month by Mr. said anything to him which sug-ed, and they could not have taken. employed at the Canton Customs fine was imposed on Li Lan, widow, this merning. A second charge of gested she would commit nucled. anything out of the room. After allowed the local police three in respect of the second floor of No. the attempted theft of three wooden. He thought there was no doubt that Bistor. Mallows and Bistor the attempted theft of three weeden He thought there was no doubt that Bistor. Mallows and Bleter stools, a ten can and a cash board, was about the suicide theory. The Duff were in the ward, and she this morning, the man was sentenced No. 10, Lee Tung Street, and Li Luk, M. H. Hourihan said it was not known the superficial cuts were typical . The hearing, was at this stage how the man entered. He was caught of suicide.

INQUEST ON NURSE

TRAGIC DEATH IN THE VICTORIA HOSPITAL

A Coroner's inquiry into 'the death of Jessie Ann Shum, a probationary nurse of the Government Civil Hospital, whose donth occurred in tragic circumstances at the Victoria Hospital where she was a patient, on November 26, was begun by Mr. Hamilton, at the Central Magistracy yesterday

The Jury comprised Messrs. H. C. B. Way (foreman), C. A. Evans and C. E. Roza Perelra. Dr. Isnac Newton, medical of-

ficer in charge of Victoria Hospital said that at 11.80 a.m. on November B, Miss Shum was admitted to the hospital having been transferred. from the Government Civil Hospital. She had a small boil at the back of the neck and some fever. The fever seemed to be out of proportion to the severity of the boil. Her blood was examined for malarial. parasites shortly after admission, but none were found. Her blood was again examined the follow-Meanwhile, following the Paris ing day with the same result. On conversations, it is learned that November 13 her temperature havtween 103 degrees and 104 degrees with intermissions, typhoid was suspected. A blood test, however, proved negative, but she was treated as from then as a case of blood was again tested for malaria, but no parasites found. The temperature had then subsided and was between 99 degrees and 100 degrees, and second test for typhoid was taken which proved positive, Her temperature remained be-

til November 20; when it rose rapidly, and by November 23 If was again at 104 degrees, this time remaining there night and day. She was seen during her first attack and second rise by Dr. Moir in consultation with himself, and on November 24 he Moreover, the visit is expected, considered her heart to be sufferthe end of January, of M. ing from the disease and called in Titulescu, Rumanian Foreign Professor Gerrard who agreed her Minister, who has officially ac- condition was dangerous. Her cepted the French Government's mental condition while in hospital was much the same as in most some degree of depression. -

Heart Failure and Shock, her by the Sisters, who had to ciety known as the Friends of Nawash and feed her. She would tional Libraries, as the first donanot allow the amaha to attend to tion. Lord Wakefield: has sent her. About 5.55 a.m. on Novem- cheque for £1,000 .-- British Wireber 26 he was summoned by tele- less. phone and went to the ward, where he found her lying in bed with a cut across the neck. wrapped up in gut skins in the Sister Scales was there, and been acquainted with Miss Shum false bottom of a trunk. He was he found she had cleaned ever since January 1, 1982, when and the Straits were arrested ment. He was a passenger for hold of the partially severed windpipe and lifted it out of the wound, thus enabling the deceased to breathe. Haemorrhage had ceased, but deceased lived for ave minutes after. She actually R. O. Grimmitt said the opium died of heart failure and shock Wong Sit had concealed 84 taels was concealed in tins fitted into The actual injury was not in itself sufficient to cause death in normal healthy person, especially after the treatment given. He illness when she was on night considered Sister Scales had done duty. She seemed quite a normal the entirely correct and proper Chinese patient, About 5.45 a.m.

thing by her action. appeared to be very coarse pencil. ly given the patient an extra The first five characters were in blanket. The patient then was ink. In the bed he also found two quite bright, and said she felt betquarters of a Chinese orange. He ter. After the patient had had did not find the other half, her milk, witness noticed her Oranges of that type were not mouth was discoloured and dirty. supplied by the hospital. He also She cleaned it and asked the found an eyebrow pencil. He patient what she had been cating, clever magician, M. Henry, will have examined the bed table and her but she only smiled. Witness did another opportunity on Friday night, bag for a weapon but found not see any letter at the time.

Post Mortem Shows Typhoid. At 10.30 a.m. that same day he held a post mortem on the instructions of the Police Magis-External examination Six weeks' hard labour was passed showed a transverse wound about by Mr. Balfour en Lam Ping-fun, 22, two and a half inches long which amah, Ah Kam, told her that the where he was employed, Wu Chi-ful coolie, in the Central Magistracy this had cut through all the tissues patient had blood on her face. morning for stealing seven chickens down to the windpipe and had She went to the ward, and saw the from a chicken house at the Italian severed all except the back wall blood, and thought the patient Convent Foundling Home, High of the windpipe. From the left had haemorrhage. She asked the Street. Inspector Hourihan said de- hand corner of the wound was a amah to get the doctor, and went small superficial cut about one to get a morphia injection. When inch long passing upwards, and she returned she noticed it was a at the right hand corner were a cut in the neck, and she held the number of similar marks. Run- windpipe with a pair of forceps. Returning to business yesterday ning parallel with the wound and There were no visitors to the morning after the Christman holf- about one-eighth of an inch ab ve ward during the time she was on Acting on information, Sergeant above Dragon Terrace with a gag of the Mahan Book Store in D'Aguilar No big vessels were severed. The cral times, and never saw the de-Franklin raided a house in Re-clamation Street yesterday after-noon and found defendant who still had two pieces of jewellery are account of his condition to Christmas Eve, and it appears that the robbers gained access by the and the damaged condition of the the orange, but could not account back door, which they broke open, heart. The muscle wall of the for it being there. Only herself The mistresses of four sly brothels An attempt to force the safe prov- heart was very thin owing to the and the two amaks had access to disease. He examined the stomach the ward, and the two umahs

On a charge of entering 218, Des strument but found none.

RADIO BROADCAST

TO-DAY'S BROADCAST.

SELECTIONS BY THE S.S. CORFU BAND THIS EVENING

From ZBW on a wavelength of 355 motros:

5.8 p.m. European programme. 5-6 p.m. A. relay of the Hongkong Hotel Dance Orchestra from the Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden. 6-6.30 p.m. Children's Concert from the Studio. 6.80-7 p.m.

Sonata in F. Minor. (Brahms, Op. 120, No. 1). Lionel Tertis (Violin) and Harriot Cohen (Planoforio). 1st Movement-Allegro appas-

sionato. 2nd Movement-Andante un poco 3rd Movement-Allegretto grazioso.

4th Movement-Vivace. p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc.

7.3-8 p.m. From the Studio. Selections by the s.s. Corfu Band. 8 p.m. Local Time and Weather

8.3-10.30 p.m. Chinese Studio Con-10.30 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press

10.35 p.m. Close Down. Should reception prove satisfactory, the programme between 5 and 6 p.m. will be replaced by a relay from

All relays from the Hongkong Hotel are by courtesy of the Management and during the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the

FAMOUS MANUSCRIPT

CODEX SINAITICUS ON VIEW IN LONDON

London, Dec. 27. The "Codex Sinalticus," fourth century manuscript of the Bible bought from the Soviet by the Government for the British Museum for £10,000, was brought from Russia during the week-end by a courier and it is being placed on view in the Museum to-day.

Many substantial donations have been received in anticipation of the opening of a fund for the pur-The patient was a difficult one, chase of this famous manuscript. and everything had to be done for They include £500 from the So-

> she joined as a probationary nurse. She was quite normal and very cheerful, and was very fond of her work

A Normal Patient.

Jessle Scales, nursing sister at the Victoria Hospital, said that Miss Shum first came under her charge when she was on day duty and the last fourteen days of her on November 26 she thought Miss After death he examined her Shum dld not appear too well. She saw the eyebrow stick. She was of opinion that the eyebrow stick had been used to write the letter, and that it may have caused the discoloration of the mouth. Thought It was Haemorrhage.

It was before 6 a.m. that the

and mouth and gullet for any in- were in and out of it all night. . Ah Kam was not in the ward Vocux Road West; which is un. He had noticed nothing unusual when she was there. Both amahs

Sergt. Goodwin said defendant was at of No. 5, Stone Nullah Lane, were present unemployed and had no fixed each fined \$250 or four months as decamp with the property. Defendant nation in 1929.

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THE "TELEGRAPH'S" PAGE ABOUT HOME FOOTBALL

THAT CHRISTMAS IS OVER

WE CAN EXPECT TO SEE SOME SETTLED FORM

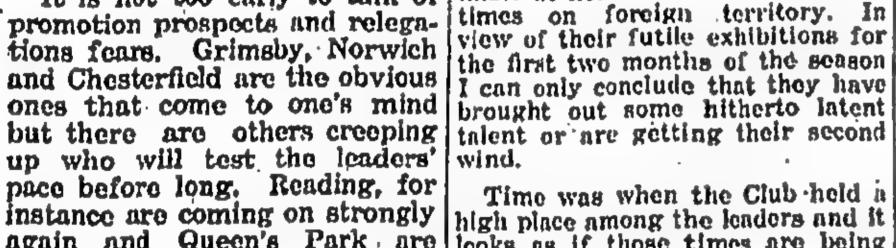
PROMOTION AND RELEGATION INDICATIONS

(By "The Pilgrim")

THE football world having lost to some degree the exhilaration of Christmas, I expect the good form teams to justify themselves this week-end. No doubt some of the clubs who displayed hidden resources during this topsyturvy week will be able to hold the pace a little longer.

TERBY are now rivals with Huddersfield as challengers for the premier position so long vacated, but now firmly held by Arsenal. Even Chelsea, Rotherham, Darlington, and Lincoln got a kick out of the festive season and garnered a few much needed points. It is a pity that they all gained slightly, leaving themselves almost in the same positions in the League. Not one of them is out of the slough and we are half way through the season!

It is not too early to talk of liable at home and have won three promotion prospects and relegations fears. Grimsby, Norwich and Chesterfield are the obvious ones that come to one's mind up who will test the leaders' wind. pace before long. Reading, for finding points on all fields.



again and Queen's Park are looks as if those times are being winger, is a much-sought-after Preston North End.

. It is a curious fact that Birmingham, whose stock has sunk badly and who have scored fewer goals than all except Stoke City, have had less scored against them than any other team except the Arsenal, in their division.

The Highbury club have conceded THE Wolves have tried five play- ALEX James is, not the only goals which is two more than ers at right half-back. 20 goals which is two more than - ers at right half-back. Chesterfield.

Birmingham, Newport, and Southport also have nine draws to 1,000th point in Division I, foottheir credit whilst Grimsby is now ball. They are 27 short. the only club which has not divided points yet:

matches), Grimsby with 59 and by Turf Moor. Motherwell with 57 although the

Striking action picture taken of al. Preston, Queen's Park, Reading, they should keep the "lemon time" some mid-field play in the English Stockport, Barnsley, and Rangers, down to the stipulated five Cup tie between Crystal Palace and have not lost a match on their own minutes. grounds this season.

Chelsen have only collected one point away out of a possible 20 and Sheffield United have obtained two

Against this, Motherwell boast of periences over there. not having lost a fixture away and

They have shown the most won- Bristol City have only treated derful improvement, of any Club their supporters to two wins at in the Lengue. They are fairly re- home out of 11 matches.

Walsall have leapt to third place after figuring inconspicuously in the list up to this month. Meanwhile Mansfield are being out of 22. consistent in keeping up the steady decline that has marked their play since the end of last season, And Middlesbro'!

True Story of Rise To Football Fame

Norwich. (Planet News).

gress. six hanging round the goal-posts, and [in the examinations, thus reaching the] big boys of his school are practising play. shooting after school hours.

his third school team—his first match -running down the right wing, tricking boys much older than himself, and helping his team to win a handsome victory.

1916-Aged ten, he is playing for the first team at outside-right, and, as the years progress, making his mark as forward, back and half-

and awimming, his team winning the First Division table. championship in each case.

hard game in the semi-final of the Dowar Bhield London Schools' Cham-

Not he. He stays until the finish, in- there will be anything doing. master of the Dounkills School, cidentally saving an almost certain N.15, contributes the following goal within two seconds of time.

The Spurs' trainer takes the foot in Millwall recently, had played chronological story of Rowe, the hand and, in the replay, the lad is International footballer's pro- wins by 2 to 1 and goes on to win six Cup ties since January 1931.

At the end of the team the boy 1912-A little fair-haired chap of comes out first in Standard Ex. VII.

WATCH FOR CAPT. FOSTER'S RACING NOTES TO-MORROW

to victory against Sunderland, help 1020-He captains cricket, football ing to put his team at the top of the

half for England against France.

Parkhurst School, Tottenham, is not yet eighteen. this boy, in making a tackle, forces to think that the fine training my line toes back, suffering agony as the sports-masters gave our boys has any sports-masters gave our boys has plonelip. The score is 2-2, when proud of him and, as his headmaster muscles and bones fall to go back borne such excellent fruit.



Yeavil ladies football team met Sherborne ladies in a cup-tie match at Yeavil last month, and this photograph shows the rival captains shaking hands before the start of the match. (Planet News).

UBHOUSE CHATTER "THE PILGRIM"

ARSENAL'S 1000TH LEAGUE POINT: SUPPORTERS' £80 WORTH OF FOOTBALLS: BIG KICKER.

Northfleet nursery.

mouth, for Cant, the Bury reserve

goalkeeper, was beaten three times

began their careers with the club

fifty years ago—Billy Mason and

CLAPTON Orient, since the war,

Swansea wag suggests tha

the playing field, in order to stop

the team slipping into the Third

Rickett, who plays for Tilbury.

remarkable improvement

when his wife won the ball in the

has completely recovered.

in League football.

DEARS, the Oldham Athletic left | Morley, their outside left, to player, and one club well south of Birmingham are on the verge THE Spurs could almost play an DERBY (2) of deciding to bid.

D given more than £80 worth of ward), Jones (C.), Jones (D.), and WEDNESDAY (2) v Manch'te C (1) balls to the Turf Moor club since Holmes. The last three are at SUNDRLND (1) v Huddrsf'ld (2)

NOTHER achievement within teen others. A the Arsenal's grasp, their

THERE are few footballers for has now signed for Worcester City. Oldham (1) Huddersfield are the most proli- whom more offers have been fic net finders in the First Division made than George Waterfield, the THERE was no difference be- Swansen (2) but their total of 51 is easily sur- Burnley full-back, who has now I tween Cann and Cant at Plypassed by Rangers with 71, (in 21 completed ten years' service at

latter have played one more match. WITH the dark days immediately -nhead referees have just re-Blackburn, Derby County, Arsen- ceived an official reminder that mwo of the 'Spurs' attendants at Cardin (1)

> TOOTBALLERS who get offers from America which seem very tempting should ask Manager O'Brien, of Queen's Park Bangers, to tell them the story of his ex-

have only conceded two points in BRADFORD City are interested HOW would you like to hold HALIFAX (0) v Carlisle (1) 11. matches.

HOW would you like to hold HARIFAX (0) v Carlisle (1) 11. matches. who has been in brilliant form

MANCHESTER City continue to CAUSER, Jones, Foote, Whalley, Wrexham (3) Ind them in the north-east. Unitchell; Wilcock, Branston, Marshall and Donathey, inside Elliott, Fox, Prout, Scott, Wharright and centre forward respecton, Carr. Kendall, Moss. Ewart, tively, of West Wylam Welfare, Fawcett, Foster, Hampton, Wolf, are due for trials at Maine-road. Hushes, Twist, and Holdcroft.

LULHAM have been showing an I interest in Cook, the Chester- A sand be placed at the side of Mr. E. A. Pope, now head into place. Does he leave the field? field leader, but I don't think

Tottenhan Hotspur and English able to play for his school, which 103 consecutive League games and

CAID a Bury director a week ago: -- "We have complete con- A the form of Tommy Holmes, of fidence that we shall be somegetting an occasional kick, when the top of his school in work as well as where near the top when the end of the season comes."

hooting after school hours.

1933—On Saturday, Oct. 7, the boy, hooting after school hours.

194—Aged eight, he is playing for of Tottenham Hotspur and leads them of Tottenham Hotspur and leads them limelight of the talent-spotters limelight of the talent-spotters was been as speed.

VICKERS, the former Charlton back, has come right into the limelight of the talent-spotters limelight of the talent-spotters was been as speed.

NOW that Mills, the Orient in-

NEARLY all the game's scoring ton Wanderers to secure his ser- trouble. records have been created vices. since the 1925-6 change in the offside rule, but one that has sur- T hear that Stanley Hardy, whose vived for thirty-five years is held I career as manager of Notts Scotland before long—at a fee. Ayr by the one and only William Meredith, who shot thirty-four goals from outside right for Manchester City in the Second Division in the season 1898-9.

On Nov. 27 this lad, Arthur Rowe DRISTOL City have signed an 1991-A West Ham crowd sees a by name, is selected to play centre. Doutside left of considerable IF Linsield write a cheque for £500 S Gurney is understood to be in the Clyd promise in Charles Willey, who is I they have a chance of securing the region of £7,000.

Tounton Town . had : transferred law courts.

BOOK (By "Robin" Walsall Swindon Liverpool

TO BEAT THE

Manchester 1 Derby: Bradford C. Wednesday West Brom. Swansea **Aldershot** 'Rangers Hartiepools

AWAY.-

Arsenal Grimsby · ' Dundee

DRAWS_

Darlington Falkirk Southport.

Our Forecast

GIVES THIRTEEN AWAY WINNERS

(By "The Pilgrim")

English League First Division

* ARSENAL (1) v Stoke (-) v Middlesbro (2) all-Welsh team: T. Evans, W. Leeds (3) v Blackbrn (1) DURNLEY Supporters' Club have Traylor (the new boy centre for PORTSM'TH (2) v Newcastle (0)

> WEST BROM (3) v Everton (1) . Second Division

SPURS (-) v Sheff, U ()

English football. There are nine- Bolton (-) * WEST HAM (-Bradfd C (1) v S'thamptn (0)
BRENTFRD () v Notis F () v S'thamptn (0) PARLE, an inside forward who made thirty-one appearances MANCHTR U (4) v Plym'th (0) with New Prighton less goods. Millwall (2) v LINCOLN (0) with New Brighton last season, Notts. C (-) v Hull (-) v Bradfrd (3) PORT VALE (1) v Fulham (2) PRESTON (-) v Blackp'l ()

.Third Division South

ALDERSHOT (2) v Torquay (0) and so was Cann, in goal for Ply- B'rnem'th () Brighton (4) r Q PARK (1)
BRISTOL R (1) v Bristol C. (1) Brighton (4) WATFORD (1) League games are players who v Norwich (0) CRYSTAL P (4) v B'thend (1) EXETER (4) Gillingham (3) v Coventry (0) Billy Harston. Who remembers LUTON (2) . 'v North'mptn (1) SWINDON (2) v Newport (0)

Third Division North

have had the help of thirteen v Stockp'rt (1) former Tottenham Hotspur play-CREWE (2) v Barrow (0) DARL'GTN (5) v Rochdale (1) Gatesh'd (-) ▼ CHESTR'FLD · (-) HARTLEP'LS (6) v Mansfid (3) N Brighton (4) v Done'str (4) Preston North End? They have ROTH'RM (0) V Chester (5) had twenty-three since the war:---8'thprt (1) WALSALL (4) v York (2) * BARNBLEY (0)

SCOTTISH LEAGUE First Division

v Airdrie (0) v Dundee (3) CLYDE (6) Falkirk (1) HABIILTON (4) v 8 Mirren (3) KILMARN'CK (3) v Partick (0) QUEEN'S P. (5) v Cowd'nb'th (0) Y Th Lanark (-) 0 0'8"TH () RANGERS () v Hibern'nn (-) TATILLWALL have signed a pro-Y M'TH'WELL (1) Y 8 J'atone (0)

III mising young goalkeeper in J. WIJALTER Amos, their veteran out W W side left, is the only man who has N figured in every game Bury have Ro played to date. Southport, dates from the time

COVENTRY City supporters see 12 Southport Supporters' penny-onorospects of another Bourton in

national, there may be a speed- IV Albion's junior international has ing-up on the part of Wolverhamp- been operated upon for cartilage Mot

IT is said that Tolland, the inside Abel I forward whom Northampton secur. Hen Forest was cut short by illness,

A LTHOUGH Cardiff City have falled Fall A to maintain their early promise, Que TACK Kirby, of Derby County, is one there are movements to introduce new Celt of the longest kicking goalkeepers blood-including directors.

CUNDERLAND'S price - for Bob Hib transfer of Warburton, an inside for-

Didisappointed when hearing that S. Irish Association may reach the Middlesbrough is freely mentioned in Aird this respect. The transfer Cowdenbeath

FIGURES WHICH SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES

A USEFUL LEAGUE TABLE RECORDS GUIDE

The following tabulated league table records of all the clubs in the English League and the first division of the Scottish League show their home and away performances up to and including yesterday's matches.

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CIVILIANS AND NAVY PROMISE GREAT DUEL

IN SATURDAY'S LAI WAH CUP FINAL

Superior Team Work May Decide Issue

PROGRAMME FOR THE NEW YEAR

(By "Veritas").

OUP tie fever is to usher in Hongkong's 1934 football, when on Saturday, the Civilians and Navy meet in the final for the Lai Wah Cup. Recollections of the semi-final games makes speculation concerning this encounter fascinatingly interesting.

THE Navy are generally recognised as being one of the finest teams in the Colony, and this is supported by their performances. On the other hand the Civilians, in defeating the Chinese, provided the most spectacular football of the year. By this surely, we can confidently expect a rousing match on Saturday?

TO WIN:-

MY FORECAST.

LEAGUE.

2nd. Division

S. China

Athletic

S. China

Borderers

Artillery

Lincolns

Borderers

R.A.M.C.

Chinese

Joseph's to look forward to.

CHINESE "DERBY".

Athletic should give South China

Chinese Athletic are strongly

to oppose the Rest of the Colony

on New Year's Day. Mak Sui-hon,

Ho Chor-yin, Tang Kwong-sum,

China players, is particularly

The Rest rearguard will have to

strike good form to stop the

almost the best that can now be

The Rest will field quite a sound

The match is being played on

combination, including the Ridley-

behalf of the Children's Play-

ground fund, and a record crowd

Chinese forward line, which is

put into the field.

Hocquard left wing.

strong.

Lai Wah-Cug

R.A.F.

TO DRAW:- .

TO WIN:-

3rd. Division

1st. Division

Barring injuries and other unforescen circumstances, the Navy will field the same team as that which opposed the Recreio in the League last week, namely: Liddington

. James Purkins McGuire Mitchell Hudspeth Langmead Barnett Skinner

Here is a clever and wel. balanced combination, and one which I cannot help feeling will TO DRAW:win, in spite of all the attractive qualities of the Civillan team.

NAVY'S REAL STRENGTH.

The strength of the Navy is not [TO WIN:found in the possession of one or two super players, but in the equality of skill and craft which exists in all departments, which has been consolidated into a perfect understanding in and between defence and attack.

It is this which chiefly influences one to adopt a sanguine attitude to their chances of winning the Lai Wah Cup. If anything is to turn the game in favour of the Navy it is their team work. This phase always has, and always will, | Children's Playground Match



Au Kim-fung, of the Athletic, who China and the Athletic. It was has been chosen to play for the in the very first match of the

generally be expected to win.

Civilians have no combination. upon to produce the same form as Wing (S. China). Quite the opposite was express- that revealed against the Club and The Rest:-Cord (Kowloon) A. whereas the Navy exploit it best behaviour. naturally.

With three exceptions, the Civilians will be the same as the team which won on December 9. and there is only one alteration to the line-up which was originally represented in the Chinese team chosen for the semi-final tie.

CIVILIAN LINE-UP.

A. V. Gosano, Bliss and Duncan Au Kim-fung, Ho Ka-keung and come into the side, and Ward has Fung King-mu have found places, been preferred to Elliott. The and the side, made up with South team will thus be:

B. Gosano A. Ward A. Howe E. Strange B. Bickford

And this isn't a combination to should be present on Monday at be treated lightly. The defence the Club ground. should be almost cast-iron. The The teams will be:half backs do not invite quite such | Chinese: - Pau | Ka-ping | (S. a -confident statement, but the China): Leung In-chan (S. China) talent is there. The forward line and Mak Sul-hon (Athletic): Ho --on paper-compares very fa- Chor-yin (Athletic), Leung Wing-



Tang Kwong-sum, Athletic outside! right, who is another selection for the Chinese team on New Year's Day.

RUGBY

AGAIN DEFEATED

CLUB "A" LOSE TO NAVY XV

(By "Line Out")

A Navy side picked from the Modway, Suffolk and Kent beat the Club "A" at Happy Valley yesterday evening by one goal and a try (8 points) to one try (3 points).

of the game making the ball heavy, resulting in poor passing and hand-ling amongst the Club's back. The Navy backs, however, handled better and prossed at the. start to go over for a try in the corner after the scrum half had worked the blind side. The kick falled.

Throughout the game the Club for-wards gave their backs plenty of chances, only to see thom frittered away. Meeko was getting the ball away from the scrum well, but Jenkins took some time before he could

playing at inside three quarters and this respect they played pluckily. and an unenviable task, as the backs | The Wild Swan forwards were in ran across, and if he did hold a pass good form and could not be stopped the Navy insides were well up to near goal.

The chances are infinitely greater have prevented the score if he had Smith scored the Tamar's solitary Sea. Fond as follows: than by an analystical survey! taken the scrum half instead of try- first half goal, and Rowe added a Veteran:—Watson: Winkle ing to intercept an anticipated pass.

The bringing forward of this The Club then pressed strongly and ing a fine individual burst through Wiltshire: Frost, Meen match, of course, has put paid to several attacks were ruined by drop- the defence. ped passes. The forwards efforts Wild Swan:-Alford: Humphreys Usher and Rimmer. the first division programme for Saturday, which is rather a pity were eventually rewarded by Harris and Simms: Green, Cresey and as we had that exciting clash be- Walker going over for a good try in Riley: Tipple, Food, Clark, Drewery Cuthell: tween the Borderers and St. the corner after the ball had and Golding. passed down the line. Robertson's Tamar:-King: Mann and Willey: Thorpe, Cordell and Arundell. kick was good but not quite good Hope, Hulme and Weir: Smith,

The game was played throughout field. But on Sunday the Club ground with plenty of spirit, and considering offers an attraction in the second it was soon after Christmas it was

Chinese against the Rust on Monday, senson that they played before, chui (S. China), and Lee Kwokplay the most important part in when South China, not at all con- wai (S. China): Tang Kwong- EARNS SUFFOLK a football match, and whichever vincingly, won by four goals to sum (Athletic), Au Kim-fung team is most skilled in it, can one. But this time I think they (Athletic), Ho Ka-keung (Athlewill again win, and more de- tic), Tay Qua-tong (S. China) and Fung King-mu (Athletic). Re-Which is not to infer that the If the Athletic could be relied serves:-Tong Kwan and Wong

ed in very emphatic terms by East Lanes one could reasonably V. Gosano (St. Joseph's) and S. their display against the Chin-expect a division of points. In Strange (Club): L. G. Robertson esc. Nevertheless I feel they any case much depends on whether (Club), N. Beltrao (St. Joseph's) have to be inspired by the oc- Ho Ka-keung has completely re- and Bliss (Kowloon): B. Gosano casion to produce such highly covered from last week's injury, (St. Joseph's), Elliott (Kowloon), developed unity of movement, and whether Au Kim-fung is on A. Howe (Club), Ridley (Lincolns) and Hocquard (Lincolns). The week-end programme is: Given these two factors the

SATURDAY.

a good run for their money. LAI WAH CUP FINAL NEW YEAR'S DAY MATCH

loon ·

Navy v Civilians-Club, 3.30 LEAGUE.

SECOND DIVISION. Y. Indians v Athletic-St Joseph's R.A. v Navy-Military, H.V.

Club v Borderers—Club THIRD DIVISION.

R.E. v Lincolns-Athletic, 4 R.A.M.C. v Recreto-Chathan, R.A.S.C. v R.A.F .- Military, 4 move. Borderers v University-Kow.

SUNDAY. FIRST DIVISION. Athletic v S. China-Club

MONDAY. CHILDREN'S, PLAYGROUND MATCH Rest of Colony v Chinese-Club, 3.30 p.m.

FLEET LEAGUE FOOTBALL

LANGMEAD'S TWO GOALS

HELPS BERWICK TO WIN

Displaying infinite superiority in practically all departments, the Berwick yesterday trounced H.M.S. Suffolk in a first division, C.F.L. match at Happy Valley by four goals to nil.

Langmend was in happy 'mood, in addition to scoring two goals, was the leading raider on the management management management and the leading raider on the the leading raider of the leading raider on the leading raider of the leading field. The Navy centre-forward held his forwards together with real skill Rejuvenated

Pay Mid. Smith, the Navy inside right was also prominent for the leadly supported. Veterans losers, but he was badly supported, and although clever in individual efforts, found himself smothered by the determined Berwick defence.

.Thomson was a-tower of strength for the Suffolk, and it was largely due to him that the team's deficit was not higher. The Berwick played well to a man and any other result would have been insulting to

Langmend (2), Morgan and Ryan scored for the Berwick, whose team was:-Funnell: James and Jenkins: Kent, Kennedy and Camsell: Jones, Morgan, Langmend, Ryan and

Suffolk:- Pepper: Young and Trengis: Dodds, Cosens, and Love: Thomson, Smith, White, Hall and Thompkins.

FORWARDS RIOT

The day's rain had made the ground wet, and light drizzle fell at the start SEVEN GOALS FOR THE WILD SWAN

day scored an easy victory in pretty well a repetition of the the second division of the initial half. C.F.L. when they notted seven times to the Tamar's twice

yournbly with their opposing Navy second half when the scrum half slip- hat-trick in the first half, and Goldnumbers. Toss up a coin and ped past to score half way in for, the ing, Drewery and Tipple shared the you'll probably pick the winner. iry to be converted. Harboard should other three. The

The Club then pressed strongly and ing a fine individual burst through Huckley: Evans, Campbell, Flint,

Rowe, Chappel, Handford and Wing-

DEFENCE

POINTS

BERWICK LITTLE UNLUCKY

The Suffolk owed it largely to their defence that they beat the Berwick by two goals to nil yesterday in the third division of the China Fleet Football League.

saved dangerous shots from E. C. Marton 70-scr. equals 70, F. Mugford, Worthington and Bred- Lissaman . 74-2 oquals 72, T. Wanderer (Did Not Finish) don with splendid judgment. Mogarry 86-14 equals 72, T. A. (E. Griffiths) He often earned rounds of Pearce 74-scr. equals 74. applause for his fine anticipation | S. H. Dodwell 75-7 equals 68 (Commander Cowland) and clean clearances.

Peddal opened the Suffolk account 37 entries. by converting a penalty, and the lead was further increased in the first half S. China v Kowloon-Caroline through Jones, who broke clean away wins, out of 29 entries. on his own. The Berwick were decidedly unfor-

tunate to finish the first half two Room and Miller, the Berwick backs figured prominently in the second, when the Suffolk forwards became somewhat more dangerous on the

Many goal-scoring opportunities were lost by both sets of vanners in the closing stages, owing to the slippery state of the ground, which tourists played a one-day match rendered ball control rather difficult. | against the British in Bengal to-day, H.M.S. Berwick: - Davies; Koon, which resulted in a draw. Miller; Boyd, Fronch, Lake; Breeze; M.C.C. had 187 for five, declared. Club de Recrete Ladion first eleven

TWO BIG SPORTS FEATURES.

FOR "TELEGRAPH" READERS TO-MORROW.

To-morrow's editions of the Telegraph will contain two big sports features. "Capt. Foster." will con-

tribute his usual page on local and general racing. including comments on the Fanling Races for next Sunday and latest Derby and Subscription griffins gallops.

R. Abbit's cricket notes, recognised as the best informed comments on local cricket will also appear, and will, among other things, deal with the Triangular Tournament matches.

SCORE FIVE AGA!NST HERALD

In a very one-sided Second Division match at Happy Valley yesterday, H. M. S. Veteran overwhelmed H. M. S. Herald to win by five goals to nil, four of which were scored in the first half. The Veteran led by two goals

after ten minutes of play, Campbell being responsible for both. He took advantage of errors by the Herald defence to make no mistake. Another blunder by Harding, who attempted to pass back to the goalkeeper, allowed Flint to nip in and scored the third goal and five minutes from the interval, Rimmer, added the fourth, ramming home a rasping ground shot.

Save for a brief effort by the Herald to reduce the arrears in TERN the early part of the second half, Opposed by a weak Tamar when Williams, Thorpe and eleven, the Wild Swan yester- Arundell, the closing molety was

away, and from that point the Wild Swan settled the issue in the Herald gave, up all attempts to early stages by piling on three quick save the game. Nevertheless Hard-

Towards the end Dovey made

The teams lined up under Ldg. Veteran:-Watson: Winkles and

Herald :-- Yuille: Harding 'and Yule. Dovey Mottram: Williams, Yates,

HOLIDAY GOLF

RESULTS OF FANLING COMPETITIONS

The following were the results in the Fanling Christmas meeting of the Hongkong Golf Club. Bogey (Par) Old Course

S. H. Dodwell (7) and H. Hunter (scratch) finished 3 up. Typhoon 6h.11m.20s. (To-day) and divided the first and second (Capt. Fowkes)

O. E. C. Marton (scr.) 2 up was third, and other scores were:--K. S. Robertson (8). two. up, A. E. S. Robertson (8). two up, A. E. Quest (Did not finish)
Lissaman (2) and O. E. C. Marton
Nonsoon (Did not finish)
one up, T. A. Pearce (scr.) all
Sea Lark 21h.23m. 7s. 16h. 1m. 7s. FANLING HUNT & RACE CLUB. square. There were 112 entries. (E. Cock) Medal Round (Old Course)

K. S. Robertson 77-8. equals 69 (V. Goulborn) was especially prominent, and wins, and other scores were:-O. Mistral (Did Not Finish) won the Bogey Pool. There were

> Bogey Pool (New Course) S. H. Dodwell (7) one down Mixed Bogey (Par) New Course F. D. and Mrs. Hunter, all aquare, wins out of 27 entries. The putting competitions were cancelled owing to insufficient

M.C.C. PLAY DRAW. Calcutta, Dec. 27.

The Blarylebone Cricket Club Barnett taking a 94, including thir on the former's ground at King's

Suffolk: - Lelliot; Eyre, 43. slx: fours and one six included. Thorton, Howell, Jones, Recs, eight wickets, Marriott taking five for | Miles. D. Hunt, M. Smith, P. Whitley

FROM SUNDAY THE BRIGHTEST AND BEST BRITISH MUSICAL COMEDY I OWEN NARES

JERRY VERNO-CAROL GOODNER

ESSIE MATTHEWS



"THERE GOES BRIDE" THE

A GAINSBOROUGH-BRITISH LION PICTURE

CRICKET TOURNEY YACHT RACING

WINS TWO-DAY TO MACAO

Although Azuma, skipper d by between the Army and the Navy, the E. B. Lambert, was first home in the latter were 52 runs behind with eight away from the scrum well, but Jenkins took some time before he rould hold a pass.

Cockrane usually a forward, was plant on the game, and in large the game with same to Macao and back two-day yacht race, closely followed by Luana, with A. L. Shields at the helm, and large the game with large the game and in the game with large the game with large the game and in the game with large the game with large the game with large the game and in the game with large the game and large the game with large the game with large the game will be day yacht race, closely followed by luana, with A. L. Shields at the helm, and large the game with large the game and large the game with large the game with

vain efforts to rally his team, o'clock on the morning of December and Capt, Michell went out to face Herald :- Yuille: Harding and 26, starting from Murray Pier, They the Navy attack. After the first few The Navy scored once again in the netting four goals, completing the away, Winkles and Wiltshire were day, but at 5 a.m. yesterday the badly, but the first four batsmen were could half when the scrum half slip- but trick in the first half and Cold- always in position to regulate day, but at 5 a.m. yesterday the badly, but the first four batsmen were

ing up, accompanied by drizzle. Tern was first to round the Macao mark boat, followed by La Cigalo and Williams (27) and Capt. P. V. Wil-U. and I. some time afterwards. They liams (36) put up 130, but the other reached the further end of their seven batsmen failed miserably, the course at about 8 p.m. on the first whole side being dismissed for only. day. Azuma and Luana dld not 167 runs. Put on late in the Army round the Macao mark boat until 2 innings, Lt. Commdr. Browning took a.m. on the following morning. But three wickets for only 10 runs. they made excellent time home.

The homeward course south of Lantau apparently paid better than that Lieut. Larkin was in great form with laid north past Castle Peak.
At midnight last night there were

ed back in Hongkong. The following are the times: Finished 17h.11m.12s. 15h.36m.53s. (E. B. Lambert) La Cigala 21h.27n/.17s. 21h.27m.17s. (N. V. A. Croucher) (Did not finish) Norseman (Did not finish)

U. and I. 21h.43m.46s. 19h.50m.43s. (H. S. Rouse) 18h.11m.20a. 16h.27m.17a. (A. L. Shields) Curley 0h.40m.26s. (To-day)

(Mnj. Mousley) 19h.29m.37s. 15h.17m.37s. (Capt Duchesne)

Cherub 21h.55m.12s. 16h.28m.40s.

GAME CANCELLED.

Y.M.C.A.—Hongkong Hockey Off.

'Owing to the intermittent rain yesterday afternoon, the friendly hockey match arranged between the Hong. DANCING kong Hockey Club, seniors, and the MELIEUP . C. Y.M.C.A. senlors, was cancolled. Ladies Match.

The following will represent the Contral British Association ladies in a friendly hockey match against the teen fours and a six. Elliott scored Park at 5.20 p.m. to-day. F. Webber; P. Woolley and F. V. Walker: M. The Bongal toam scored | 121 for Bryson, E. Beavis and A. Crossey; D.

NAVY TION AGAINST ARMY

When stumps were drawn yester-Rimmer scored from a break- AZUMA FIRST HOME day after the first day's play in the Triangular Tournament cricket match

The yachts left Hongkong at 7.80 after 11.30 that Lieut. Garthwaite

Garthwaite (85), Michell (25), Lt.

Following up his 76 not out against the Kowloon C.C. the day before, the bat for the Navy. Going in after Liout. Marsham had been dismissed still a number of yachts not report- for only one run, he was undefeated when stumps were drawn, with the Navy score at 115, his personal contribution being 64. Featured by straight drives, his innings was chanceless.

> Lieut, Carver rendered valuable support by knocking up 32 not out. He hit a couple of benutiful drives through the covers, and gave only one chance in the alips off Garthwaite. The scores were:

STEEPLECHASE MEETING. Sunday, 31st December. 1st Race 2.30 p.m. Special train from Kowloon Station 1.05 p.m.

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MESSAGE TO TOKYO.

HIS MAJESTY SENDS

CONGRATULATIONS ...

NEW YORK STOCK

EXCHANGE

MARKET STEADY

Our New York office cable:

Stocks: The market displayed considerable underlying strength despite absence of news and looks higher. Wheat: Broader buying, low temperatures and no protection from the severe rold wave in the Southwest International Nickel 211/2 International Tel. & Tel. 42.

may bring higher prices. Cotton: Tel. 12%
Increasing favourable forecasts of Johns Manville ... 57

the dollar are atimulating. Silver: Liggett & Myers "B" 71%

The opening figure yesterday of the Montgomery Ward . 211/2

The following market closing prices Packard Motors ... 3%

Lorillard P. (Com)

National Distillers

Pennroad Corpora-

Radio Keith Or-

Reynolds Tobacco

Socony-Vacuum Cor-

Southern - California

Standard Gas & Electric

Standard Oll Co. of

Studebaker Corporation

Texas Corporation .

Transamerica

Union Carbide &

Union Pacific

United Aircraft &

United Gas Improve-

U.S. Steel Universal L c n f

Westinghouse E. & .

pheum

Mines Ltd. 39%

(bid price) 17%

New York Central . 32%

Electric 15

Phillips Petroleum . 15%

Radio Corporation . 61/4

MB" 41%

Sears Roobuck 411/2 Shell Union 7%

poration 16

N.J. 44% Sterling Products

Inc. 40

Texas Gulf Sulphur 301/2

Carbon 451/4

Railway 1091/4

Trans. 30% United Corporation 4%

U.S. Rubber 141/4

Tobacco 4214

Vanadium 2114 Warner Bross

Pictures 436

M. 36%

Woolworth 38%

Edison 15 1/4

ncreage reduction plan and expecta- Kennecott Copper tion of some further devaluation of Lehman Corporation

Foreign and speculative buying senti- Loow's Inc.

The R.F.C. gold price yesterday McIntyre Porcupine

Dow-Jones industrial average was National City Bank

are quoted subject to confirmation as Pennsylvania Rail-

Dec. 26 Dec. 27

ment here bullish.

Dow-Jones N.Y. averages:

La accuracy in transmission:

Pow. 7% Pref. .. 15%

American Methl ... 1914

American Smetling 44% American Tel. & Tel. 108%

Mining Co. ... 2114 . 2576 Allied Chemical &

Adams Express

Alaska Juneau Gold

American & Foreign

American Tobacco

Bultimore & Ohio ...

Pow. Warrants ...

American Water- 66

Anneonda Copper . 13%
Auburn Automobile 52

Atlas Corporation . 10%

Bethlehem Steel ... 35%

Borden Company .. 1814

Railway 12%

Case, J.I.
Chase National Bank

(bid price) 15% Chesapeako Corpora-

Chrysler Corporation 52% Columbia Gas &

Electric 10 %

New York 3416

Southern 114 Consolidated Gas of

Continental Oil 17

Corn Products 72%.

Commonwealth and

Loty Inc.

Borg Warner 101/4 Canadian Pacific

Dows Jones N.Y. Averages !-

	MARKET STEADY			i May	AN OPTIMISTIC
	YESTERDAY	Lo	ndon, Dec.	. 27.	THE WAY WAY
		H.M. the King	sent the 1	folidw-	FEELING
ı	According to Mesars. Swan Culbert-	ing message to the	Emper	or of	The following and the state of
	ion and Fritz, the New York market	Japan on the occas	ion of the	birth	The following quotations on the
H	was steady yesterday. Business done	or an heir to the the	hrone:	49 - 1	London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson
	3,080,000 shares. The Wall Street	"The Queen and	I rejoice	at the	and Fritz in conjunction with Reuter.
Н	Journal reports:—The market firmed with the most active session since late	happy news of the	birth of a	n neir	narket:—Uptimiatic conditions pro-
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	ed buyers. General business nows		·,		434% Bonds 1898
	favourable including favourable rail-	43.	1 11		(Eng. Iss.) £100% £100%
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ı	cluding the majority of United States	Du Pont de Nemoura	·	92	5% Reorn Loan
1	bonds.	Publishing Konny ***	781/2	78%	1913 (Ldn. Iss.) £ 89% £ 90
ı	Iron Age - Magazine report:-	Electric Bond &		1017	5% Bonds 1925-47 £ 80% £ 80% 5% Shal-Nanking
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ı	I despite the Christmas holidays. De-	Ideha	8%	4	5% Tient-Pukow
ı	cember shipments probably will ex-	For Film "A"		12%	Rly £ 14-19 £ 15-20
			4%	4%	5% Tlent-Pukow
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ı	1554 The outlook for the first	General Foods		3216	Loan) £ 12-17 £ 13-18
	15%. The outlook for the first quarter is excellent due to expected demands from automobile manual	General Motors	34 3	34%	5% S'haiH'chow-
	demands from automobile manu-	General Rullway			Ningpo Rly £ 80 . £ 80 ½ 5% Honan Rly £ 15% £ 18xdiv
ı	facturers, public works and rail-	Signal	. —		5% Honan Rly £ 15% £ 18xdiv
	ronds,	Gold Dust	17 1	1734	1911 £ 24% £ 26%
	Our New York office cable:	Rubbon	33% 3	33%	5% Lung Taing U.
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Japan 6% Sterling	£ 781/4
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niin (Bearer)	23/3	23/3
J. & P. Conts	62/3	62/9
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Distillera	R1/_	
Duniop Rubber	39/-	39/3
General Elec.	29/-	29/_
(England)	42/6	42/6
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Impl. Chem. Ind.	*	4 32/1
Def. 10/- sh.	8/103	6 0/-
Impl Tobacco Int. Tea Stores	111/9	111/9
6/- sh. Nickel	28/9	28/9
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10/- ·sh	33/3	83/3
Turner & Newall	41/-	41/3
Unilever	27/-	27/-
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London Tin 10/-	27/- :	26/9
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Van Ryn Deep	36/3	36/3

fl. sh. £ 211/2 £ 211/2 Shell Trans and Trad (Bearer) . 50/71/2 50/71/2 Crown Mines

46/10% 46/10%

85/71/4. 80/3

10/434 10/3

Anglo-Persian Oil

Burnia Oll Mexican Eagle

Mex. \$4 bh. Royal Dutch 100

have received the following quotations on the New York cotton and wheat and silver exchanges for vesterday.

COTTON, WHEAT

AND SILVER

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	Dec. 26.	Dec. 27.
	Closing	Closing
1	Rango	Rango
January	9.95 - 9.97	1 0 10 10 1 0
March	10.14-10.14	10.24-10.25
May	10 26-10 20	10.40-10.40
July	10.39-10.89	10.54-10.55
October	10.58-10.58	10 79 10 74
December	10.70-10 70	10 07 10 07
Spot	10.15	10.80
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SOUND FINANCE.

BRITAIN'S POSITION MUCH IMPROVED

London, Doc. 27. Revenue returns for week ended December 28 show that ofdinary exponditure for the year to date amounts to £501,196,217 and WHITEAWAYS

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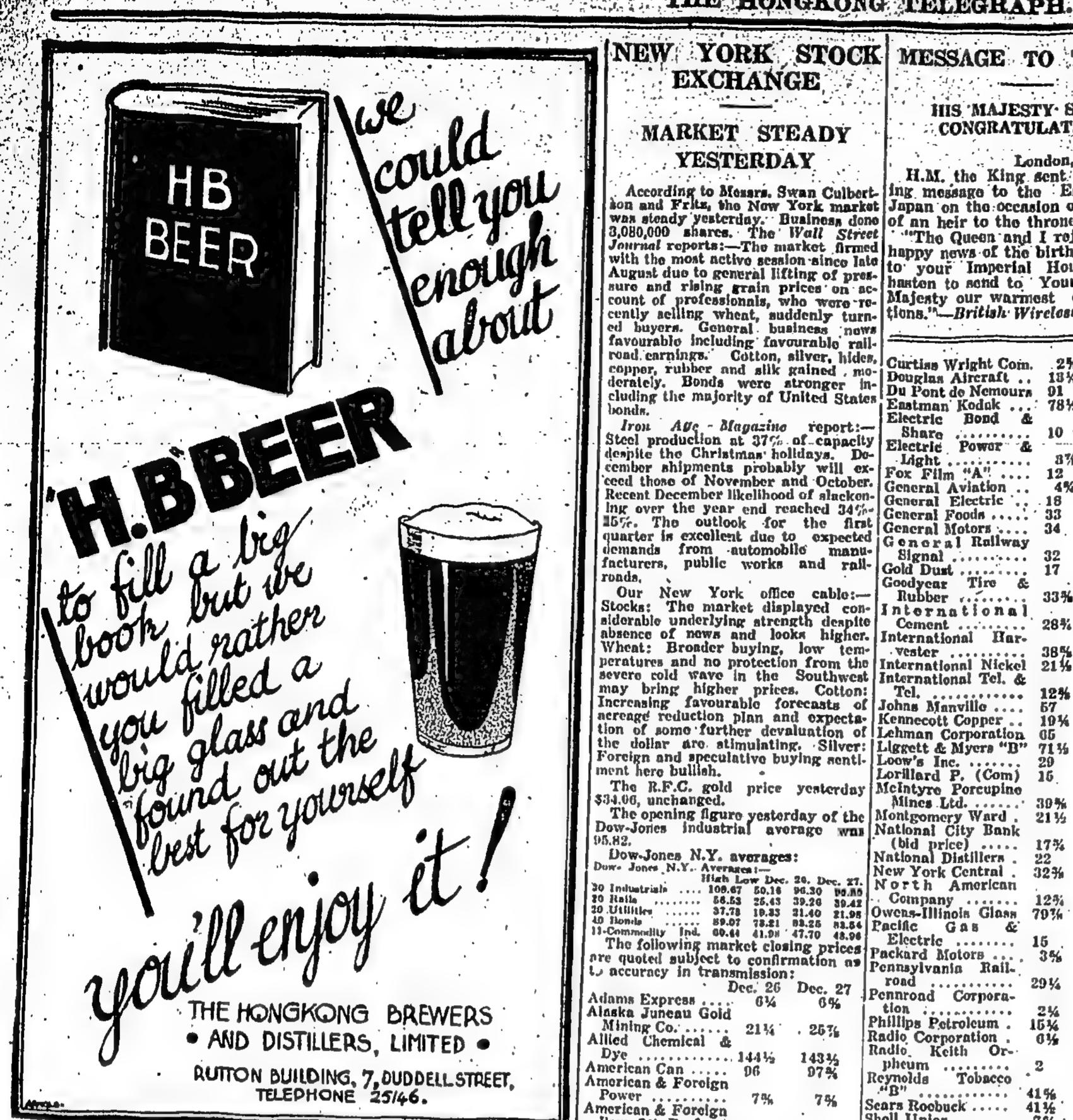
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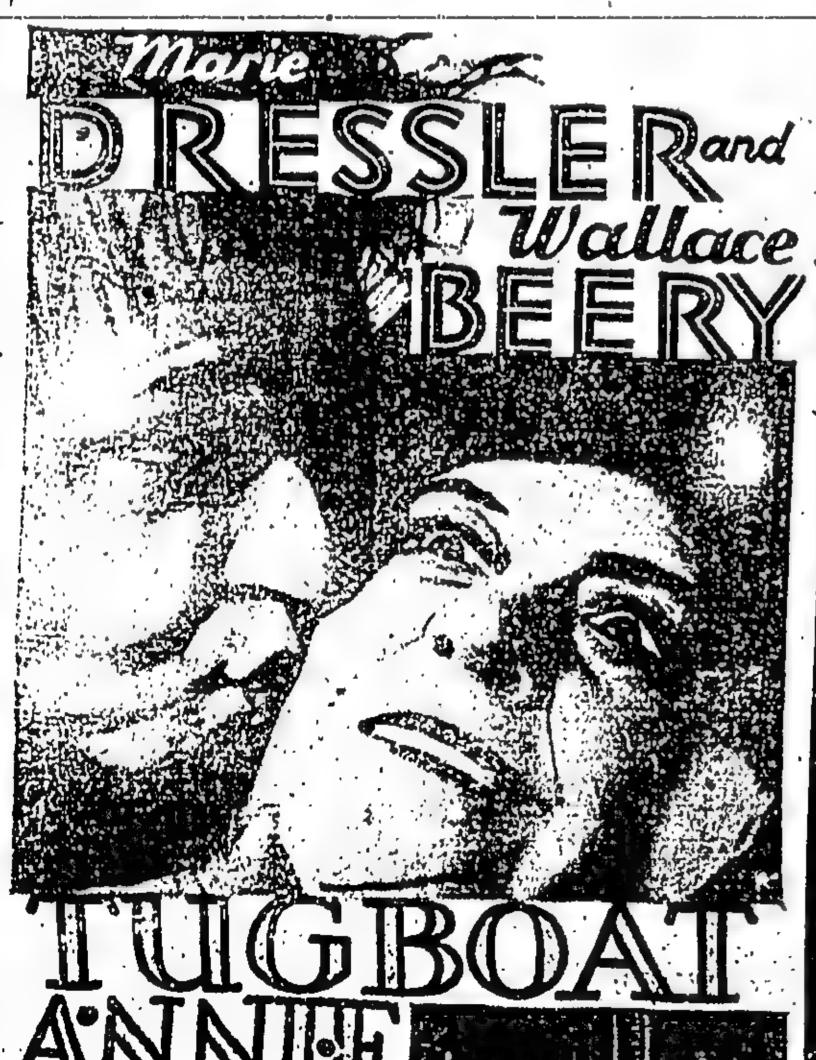
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REVENTS

year ago. British Wireless.

ordinary revenue to \$408,111,480.
The deficit of \$94,084,787 compares with a deficit of \$159,010,688 one

SONG HITS

TO-DAY

ASSIZE JURY ASK FOR DICTIONARY

Judge's Definition Of An "Allurentent"

A special jury, considering their verdict at the West Riding Assizes, at Leeds, sent a message to Mr. Justice Swift asking for a diction-

Turning to counsel, Mr. J Willoughby Jardine, K.C., and Mr. Arthur Morley, K.C., he said, "I am spoke in Chinese, of the activities In a little difficulty. I have never known a jury to ask for a dictionary before. I think it would be better to have them back and ask what they want to know.

"I think it is the meaning of 'nuisance,' " he said.

Mr. Morley-And I think it is the meaning of "allurement."

When the jury filed in the Foreman said the jury would like definitions of "allurement" and "nui- The great essential, he added was

The Judge (to Mr. Morley)-Wel appear to be quits.

He gave a legal definition of a "nuisance," said that there was no hal legal definition of "allurement." and the best he could do was to give them an illustration.

"If you put a plece of cheese on a little wire in a mouse trap that would be an allurement for a mouse to enter," he said. "Allurement is something seductive-in attractive invitation."

UPRIGHT VERDICT

LONDON COMMENT ON LEIPZIG TRIAL

London, Dec. 27.

verdict in the Reichstag fire trial, panied the pilot, Mr. P. Lynch Under the heading "An Upright Blosse, home.-Reuter. Verdict," the Times says no mes- Captain W. P. C. Greene is sage could have more seasonable or Unionist M. P. for Worcester. He more welcome to lovers of justice was born in New South Wales, throughout the world, and in served with the 13th Hussars in the Railway Company whose trains "By reaching the only ver- to 1919, and has travelled extensivedict consonant with honour and ly in North Africa. Europe the justice, the court has struck a blow Near East, India and the Antipodes. cenotaph. On the top of the for humanity and preserved the He is a landowner in Australia, cenotaph burned a flame of rememhigh respect which the German where he at one time commanded a brance.

honour of the Supreme Court and a Spartan cruiser monoplane, with with it that of German justice has three Gipsy major 130 h.p. engines, been fully vindicated.

The Manchester Guardian says the court has had the courage to perform its duty of considering evidence on its merits.—British Wireless.

Wight service. This is the first time that a machine has been chartered to fly passengers to Australia, and probably it will rank as the longest charter flight for passen-

CATHOLIC YOUNG MEN.

LARGE GATHERING PRESENT AT ANNUAL DINNER

The annual dinner of the Chinese Catholic Young Men's Society in honour of their patron Saint, St. John the Evangelist, was held at the Club; 16 Caine Road last night. Nearly 100 were present, including the Rt. Rev. Bishop H.

Prior to dinner, a film was screened depiciting the recent pilgrimage to Sancien Island, to the tomb of St. Francis Xavier. Mr. J. S. Shak, the Chairman.

of the Club, which was now in its tenth year. During the past two years great improvements had been made, he said, and activities were not only confined to members but this year they had organised an athletic meeting open to all Chinese and English Catholic Schools in the Colony, which had proved a great success. He also spoke of visits made to poor country people. Father G. T. Byrne said it was always good to be optimistic, and to have survived ten years was a proud achievement for the Club.

to have a library. Father Gallagher also strongly recommended the foundation of a

library. Blshop Valtorta spoke interestingly of his recent visit to Shang-

LONG FLIGHT ENDS.

CAPTAIN CRAWFORD GREENE'S PARTY HOME AGAIN

Shanghai, Dec. 27. The longest "special charter" flight on record ended when the neroplane "Faithful City" landed at Clacton, Essex, after flying nearly 32,000 miles to Australia and back since it left Worcester on October

The plane was chartered by Captain W. P. Crawford Greene M.P., and Lord Apsley. Mr. Greene disembarked in India on the return Most newspapers comment on the journey, but Lord Apsley accom-

leading article concludes: France and Mesopotamia from 1915 were involved in the catastrophe, judiciary has commanded hitherto." half-squadron of light horse. He was accompanied by Lord Apsley The Daily. Telegraph says the and other friends. The machine is regularly used on the London-Isle of

gers ever arranged.



The Shanghai Volunteer Corps held its annual review last week. The top photograph shows the American Troop giving the salute to Colonel Thoms, while lower picture is a view of the Corps giving . three cheers for its Commander at the racecourse. Inset is of Colonel Thoms.

LAGNY TRAGEDY

MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR VICTIMS

Paris, Dec. 27. The President of the Republic, members of the Government. and Lagny railway disaster, were present to-day at a memorial service held near the scene of the collision.

The throng packed the Gare de l'Est central hall, which was trans-Three magnificent wreaths, one former Premier, M. Sarraut, now Minister of Marine, and one from nexton .- Reuter. against a black-draped

List Grows.

Paris, Dec. 27. number of fatalities to 203 to-day, train,-British Wircless.

Official Inquiry.

The official inquiry into the cause of the accident, although unfinished, has disclosed, according to some accounts, that the automatic register on the engine shows that the signal was not arrived from India yesterday

been set at liberty.

Remarkable Escape.

Salzburg, Dec. 27. The famous theatrical impressario Max Reinhardt, who has just arrived from Paris, tells how he formed' into a chapelle ardente, narrowly escaped being a victim in the Lagny disaster. He had booked a seat in the Paris-Strasfrom the Government, one from the bourg express, and was extremely langry when he was crowded out and forced to obtain another con-

England's Sympathy.

London, Dec. 27. Government were conveyed by the

PUNJABIS ARRIVE.

TO REPLACE THE JAT REGIMENT

The 1/8th. Punjab Regiment aboard the s.s. Santhia, and are Meanwhile, the driver and fire- disembarking this morning to over 600 relatives of victims of the man of the express, arrested im- Gecupy Whitfield Barracks; where mediately after the collision, have they will replace the Jats, who left recently.

Brigadier Rowan Hamilton, Officer Commanding Administration, was present with members of the administrative staff receive the regiment, which commanded by Lt.-Col. D. St. Baxter O.B.E.

The strength of the regiment Major M. H. A. Campbell, O.B.E., Major F. H. Ledgerwood, Major F. C. Booty, Major J. B. F. Austin, Capt. E. Johnston, Capt. R. C. S. Bates, Capt. C. Neary, Capt. J. H. The condolences of the British Welton, and Lt. S. E. C. Walker.

Half of the regiment is com-British Ambassador, Lord Tyrell, posed of Punjab Mussulmans, one on Sunday, to M. Lebrun, President quarter of Sikhs, and the reof the French Republic, on the mainder of Hindoos. Three reterrible disaster which occurred on ligious teachers and 45 dollowers Saturday night near Lagny, when complete the personel. "A" Coman express train crashed at full pany disembarked yesterday, and Further deaths increased the speed into the rear of a slower the main body leave the ship to-

CHRISTMAS DINNER.

SAILORS AND SOLDIERS HOME PARTY

A jolly Christmas dinner was ! given at the Sailors and Soldiers Home, Wanchai last night mainly through the generosity of the St. brought to Hongkong yesterday George's Society and the assistance afternoon the Rev. Dr. Norwood, of a number of lady helpers who Minister of the City Temple. decorated the rooms and were re- London, and noted advocate of

There were 130 present including Hongkong. the President of the Home, the Rev. E. C. H. Tribbeck, who proposed the loyal toast and brought City Temple, having held the Johnson and Major H. B. L. Dow- Pastorate longer than any of his biggin.

"Our Hosts" was put by Shipproposed by Mr. W. H. Smith, after a vote of thanks had been ! accorded the secretary, the com- by Mrs. Norwood and their son, pany joined in singing old time Mr. Graeme Norwood, who is act numerous indoor amusements which be the guests, during their stay in Cigarettes for the evening

supplied by the B.A.T. and Tasarte, and an anonymous donation of \$10 assisted those who prepared the entertainment

KING'S CHRISTMAS.

ROYAL FAMILY'S PARTY AT SANDRINGHAM

London, Dec. 27. ballroom at Sandringham was the Road. central feature of the Royal Family Christmas festivities.

With the exception of the Prin- via. Dublin, Bormuda, Ottawa, cess Royal, who is at her York- Wellington, Sydney, Bumbay, shire home, all the children of Capetown, and back to London. their Majesies the King and Queen: When this chain was completed, spent Christmas with their in a quarter of hour, the King parents. The third generation spoke into a microphone in his was represented by Princess Eli- room at Sandringham and the. zabeth, Princess Margaret and message was transmitted to near-Lady Mary Cambridge, who is the ly every part of the Empire which is 707 men, 19 Indian officers, and daughter of the Marguls and was converted into a family party. Marchioness of Cambridge.

The Empire Broadcast.

peoples was broadcast throughout wireless over a great part of the the Empire and beyond on Christ- world, in a brief programme, in mas Day, following the ex- which both Bethiehem and New change of greetings westward York wore linked with London .round the Empire from London British Wireless.

DR. F. W. NORWOOD VISITS COLONY.

TO PREACH IN HONGKONG NEXT SUNDAY

The B. I. steamer Santhia sponsible, under Mrs. Sprague, for peace; also a regiment of Pun-

Dr. F. W. Norwood is in his predocessors, except the famous. Dr. Joseph Parker who was there wright Gray of H.M.S. "Falmouth" for 38 years. Dr. Norwood wasand was followed by "The Ladies" a minister in various Churches in Australia from 1900 to 1917; secretary of the Home, who made for two years he was an Army special reference to the work of chaplain in France, and the story made chaplain in France, and the story on one occasion in the City speech by Mr. W. Sprague and ly invited to the pastorate.

Dr. Norwood is accompanied Hongkong, of the Rev. Frank Short and Mrs. Short of the London Missionary Society.

Last night Dr. Norwood left by the night steamer for Canton, but he will return in time to preach in Sunday at 10.30 a.m. in the Union Church, Hongkong: at 12 o'clock in the Hop Yat Church, and at 6 o'clock in the Union Church, Kowloon,

On Monday afternoon a reception in his honour is being The distribution of gifts from given in the London Missionary giant Christmas tree in the Society's compound in Caine

Another successful Christmas broadcast took place on Christmas Eve when the sound of the Bells The King's message to his of Bethlehem were carried by

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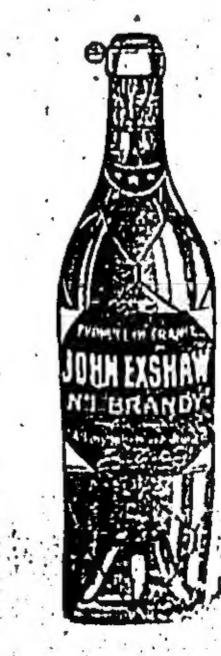
8 p.m. to 1 a.m.

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There will be no Tea Dance at the Cafe To-day. owing to its engagement by the St. John's Ambulance Brigade. Dinner Dance as usual.

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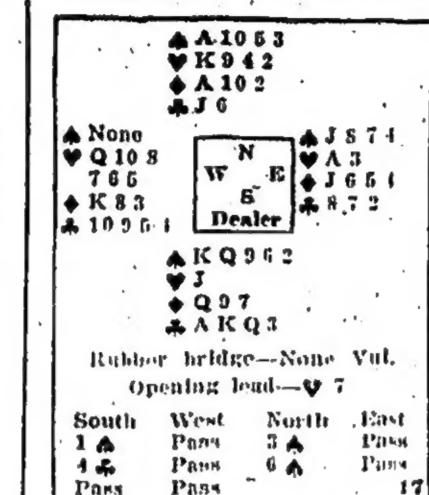
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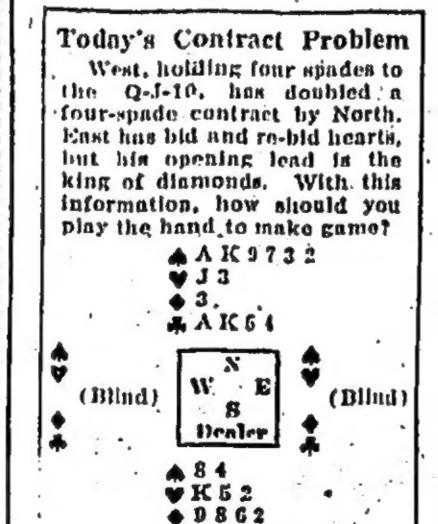
A small spade was played from dummy, Reilly in the South winning with the queen and West showing out, discarding a heart. A small spade was returned and won in dummy with the acc.

The ten of spades was returned from dummy, East put up the jack and South won the trick with the king. South then led the nine of spades, picking up East's last trump. West, in the meantime, had discarded two clubs. Reilly now cashed the ace, king,

and queen of clubs, West following with a club and discarding a heart and a diamond. Dummy did the same and East followed with two clubs-and-a-diamond,-

This left West with the queen and ten of hearts and king and eight of diamonds. North had the nine and king of hearts and the ace and ten of diamonds.

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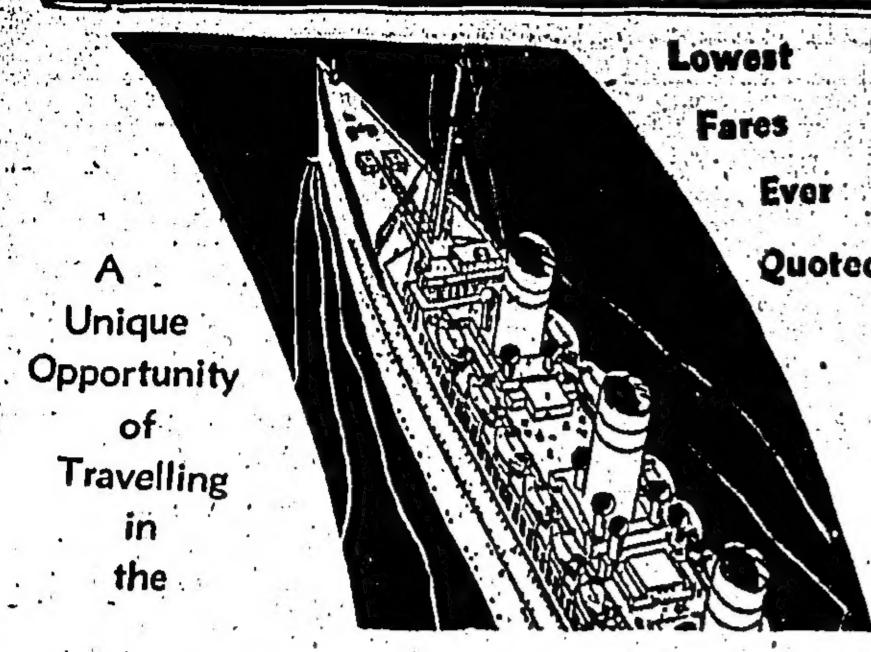
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The distinction of having been booked for the entire Gaumont-British Circuit before being trade-shown, falls to "There Goes The Bride", the Joyous Gainsborough-British Lion musical comedy, which stars Jessie Matthews and Owen Nares. It is regarded as the most joyous British comedy ro-mance to date, and as an outstanding triumph for Jessie Matthews, whom the Daily Mail critic refers to as and impudence", writes the film correspondent of the News Chronicle, "are conveyed, with such an easy naturalness, and she is so different ALOR STAR ILOILO from any other screen heroine, that I was not surprised to learn that the Gaumont-British Company have signed her on a two years' contract", "There Goes The Bride" will be shown CALCUTTA KUALA at the King's Theatre next Sunday.

"Tugboat Annie" With Mario Dressler as Annie, DELIH redoubtable feminine skipper of Puget
Sound, and Wallace Beery as the
irresponsible but irresistible Captain
Terry, "Tugboat Annie," much heralded filmization of Norman Rellly
Raine's Saturday Evening Post stories, co-starring appearance of Miss Dressler and Beery since the memorable Deposits received for one year or shorter Blin and Bill." Directed by Mervyn periods at rates which will be queted ea LeRoy, who directed "Gold Diggers of application. 1933," "Little Cassar" and other hits, the new picture tells a vivid story of Northwestern waterfronts with the two central figures cast in inimitable roles. Laughs, thrills, tears and tenso drama all have their share in the narrative. Miss Dressler plays the aggressive feminine tugbent shiftless drunkard. Throughout var- Reserve ious entertaining opisodes they are seen in hilarious quarrels and difficulties. Then their son grows up and Batavia becomes the captain of a liner. To. save him from a wreck the "useless" Dombay father comes through with an heroic Calcutta Hell Below," plays the son with Dairen (Dalay) Moji Maureen O'Sullivan in the juvenile Feagtien Nagasak romantic lead. Proninent roles are (Mokdon) tlamburg slao played by Willard Robertson, rankow tlamburg transfer Tanimany Young, Frankie Darro, Jack Pennick and Paul Hurst, Much of Honghong the picture was filmed with actual tugboat thrills at Seattle Harbour. Hundreds -took part in some of the film's spectacular scenes. Among the story's highlights are the race for the wrecked ship, Beery's comical theft of the tug's hawser and its denouement, the breaking up of the school's commoncement programme, the hilarious cognizes Joo as an old friend of Authorised Capital

The boudeirs of Breadway's "Indies of the evening" form the setting for much of the story of "Ladies Must Love", the gay Universal musical pleture now at the King's Theatre, with June Knight and Nell Hamilton in featured roles. The story revolves around four seductive girls who live in a luxurious penthouse apartment.

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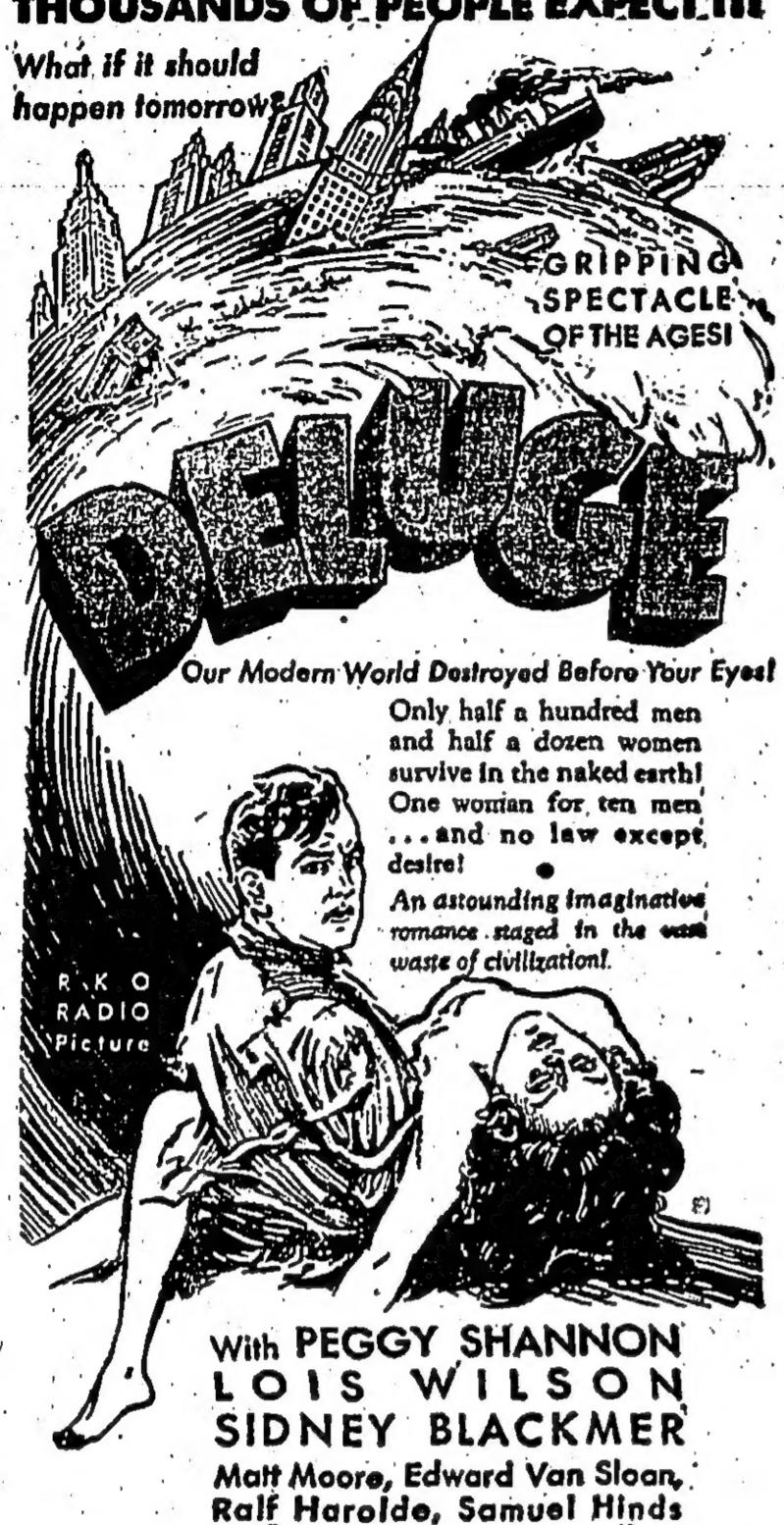
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SUCCESSOR TO COL. WATSON

COL. J. H. MORRIS DUE SOON

Col. J. H. Morris, D.S.O., O.B.E., who has been appointed Assistant Director of Supplies and Transport to the China Command in place of the late Col. A. H. Kinnaird Watson, is expected to arrive here on January 11th aboard the s.s.

Ranpura. Col. Morris joined the regulars from the Militin and from 1903 until 1905 was 2nd Lieut, in the Army Service Corps, being promoted to the rank of Lieut. in March of the latter year. He received the appointment of Captain in November, 1911, and three years later was transferred to the R.A.S.C. with the rank of Major. January, 1919, he received brevet of Lieut. Colonel, the appointment being substantiated

Col. Morris has held many posts Transport of the Mediterranean £180. A return ticket costs £334. Expeditionary Force, Egypt, and the Egyptian Expeditionary Force, being appointed Assistant Director in 1916. This post he held until 1919 when he returned to England From 1923 until February, 1927, he was Deputy Assistant Director of Supplies to the War Office.

For service in the South African War he was awarded the Queen's South African Medal with the Cape Colony, Transvaal, South Africa (1901) and South Africa (1902) Clasps.

Col. Morris saw service in France and Belgium during the Great War from October, 1914, to October, 1915, in the latter year going to Egypt with the Egyptian Expeditionary Force. He mentioned in despatches on thre occasions and holds the British possible. The French line, at pre-War Medal, the Victory Medal and sent operating as far as Salgon, is the D.S.O.

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The Astraes leaves Singapore for London at 12.30 p.m. on Dec. 31 and will be piloted by Captain Prendergast.

At the outset the fare from Sin-Assistant Director of Supplies and as that by the Dutch air mail, i.e.,

ROUTE TO CHINA.

Commenting on a recent discussion in London for the extension of the Imperial Airways service to China, Capt. A. C. Bernard, organising superintendent for I.A. in Singapore states. sion in London for the extension gapore states:

is promising.

such extension will be in the form of a trunk line from Bang-

Capt. Bernard has not been ask-ed to survey the route yet but he believes the connection is already anxious to extend to Hongkong.

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DEPORTEE DIES IN GAOL

INQUEST HELD THIS MORNING

An inquest into the death of a male deportee, Chan Hol, 52, who died in Victoria Gaol yesterday afternoon, was held at the Central Police Court this morning, Mr. Hamilton sitting as Coroner, assisted by the following jury:-Messrs, W. H. B. Muskett (foreman), C. A. Goldenburg and M. W.

Chief Warder Buchanan said the Astraea, which landed at deceased was admitted to prison Seletar on December 19th, may on December 23 by virtue of 'a take passengers back with her warrant issued under the Deportation Ordinance. Yesterday morning he reported sick and was immediately sent to the gaol hospital where he died at 3.25 p.m. On admission to prison he made with the Army, being Deputy gapore to London will be the same no complaint. "He was being accommodated until his deportation, and was not an ordinary prisoner.

At the conclusion of this evidence, the Coroner and jury liewed the body in the prison 10.30 a.m. yesterday and he was "Negotiations between the authorities at home and in China complained of opium deprivation with this in view have been go- and pains in the stomach. Both ing on for some time and there his lungs were tuberculous. He are indications that the outlook was treated for his pains and collapse, and showed slight im-"It is fairly certain that any provement but died at 3.25 p.m.

> The post-mortem examination revenled a degenerated and diseased heart, both lungs were tuberculous, and there was chronic intestinal obstruction. Death was due to heart failure. . The jury returned a verdict of death from natural causes.

> > NEXT CHAILGE

Commencing SUNDAY

31st December.

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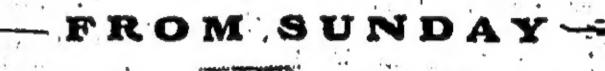
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